

the exception of one or two instances where the amounts returned for taxation are larger.

California Bank and Merchants	\$ 870,000
First National Bank	250,000
First National Bank	95,000
Los Angeles Savings	28,000
State Loan and Trust Company	100,000
Security Savings Bank	000,000
City Bank (mortgages)	70,000
University Bank	000,000
Los Angeles National Bank	850,000
United States Government bonds	000,000
First National	100,000
National Bank of California	115,000
Los Angeles County Bank	110,000
Los Angeles Savings	8,000
City Bank	20,000
East Side	25,000
Security Savings Bank	4,000
Total	\$1,887,000

An examination of the statements will show that these amounts are from the proceeds of the sale of the capital stock of the National Bank of California.

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be taken to enforce collection on this basis.

THE RAILROADS.

THE REDONDO ROAD ANXIOUS FOR A NEW DEPOT.

Arrival of a Prominent Union Pacific Attorney-The Road Coming to Los Angeles

-Notes.

It is rumored that the Redondo Beach people are anxious to get their road nearer the city than Jeffers street. For some days past they have been negotiating with property-owners

on the east side of the river for a deposit site near First street as possible. They believe a union depot will be erected at this point, and they are anxious to get the money as possible.

Judge W. R. Kelley of Omaha, who is a prominent attorney for the Union Pacific road, reached this city in his special car yesterday afternoon. Judge Kelley is accompanied by his friends J. E. Houtz, N. S. Hawood, F. M. Cook, D. W. Cook and F. C. Cook, and the party will spend a week or ten days seeing Southern California.

Judge Kelley made a bee line for the Union Pacific office, where he gathered up an armful of mail and rushed back to his car, where he sat some time reading papers and dictating to a shorthand reporter. When seen by **Times** reporter, the Judge promptly

stated that he and his friends came out here for pleasure only, and consequently he could have nothing to say in the way of an interview. A litigious and judicious questioning, however, brought forth the fact that the Union Pacific is coming to Los Angeles and that it is as possible as it is probable about the route, etc., but he cannot talk.

The party will spend several days at Catalina Island, and as all of them are very wealthy men the chances are that they may be induced to take a hand in the improvement of that beautiful spot, as Dr. Cochran, who thinks it the garden spot of the world, has them in charge.

Manager K. H. Wade of the Santa Fe left for San Diego last night. He will be in the train over on time tomorrow.

The damage by washouts in Arizona, on the line of the Southern Pacific, has been repaired.

Yesterday morning, shortly before o'clock, the Long Beach train, which runs down from the junction, jumped the track at Wilmington. The fireman came near losing his life by jumping, but he escaped with a few bruises. No one else was injured. No cause for the accident has yet been given.

PERSONAL NEWS.

Capt. T. E. True, U.S.A., is at the Nadeau.

E. E. Rowell of San Bernardino is in the city.

Charles A. Shephard of San Diego is at the Nadeau.

William Gird came down from San

Bernardino yesterday.

Mrs. E. Bidwell and son of New Orleans are at the Nadeau.

J. Cabrera and wife of San Luis Obispo are at the St. Elmo.

Dr. C. N. O'Donnell of San Francisco is registered at the Nadeau.

Miss Mary J. Varley of Phoenix Ariz., is registered at the St. Elmo.

Charles Thomas, Miss Thomas and J. J. Thomas of San Jacinto are at the Hollenbeck.

A. H. Reddington and family of Santa Barbara have taken rooms at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Gregory and daughter, A. Hodgkinson and C. L. Barker of Santa Barbara are at the St. Elmo.

D. G. Waldron, representing the Railroad Gazette is in the city and

The following San Franciscans are

the ironclad? F. M. Schrenburg, D. Eisenman, W. Coleman, C. J. Jolly, R. H. Hare, Charles N. Schwab and C. T. Paely.

Frank M. Coulter of the Courier dry goods house will leave tomorrow for his old home in Tennessee, and will visit New York and all the leading eastern cities.

Park Commission.

At a meeting of the Park Commissioners yesterday morning, at the Mayor's office, it was agreed to retire from the field, and turn matters over to the commissioner recently appointed by Gov. Waterman under the State law. The new commissioners are S. C. Hubbell, Sutherland Hutton and M. L. Weeks.

THE REIGN OF COMEDY.

A. M. Palmer's Company Will Play Next Week

AT THE GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

A Choice Bill of Fare—The Latest Novelties—"Capt. Swift," "Aunt Jack" and Other Attractions.

The fact of the above company coming to Los Angeles to fill a week's engagement, commencing Monday, August 11th, is an event of no small importance. More than ordinary mention is due to the occasion, as it will undoubtedly create quite a stir among our fashionable people, both in town and at the surrounding seaside resorts. When Mr. Palmer first decided to send his company West during the summer months, he did so, after having been guaranteed a large sum by that enterprising California manager, Al Hayman. The tour, therefore, is now being made under the latter gentleman's direction. Notwithstanding the exaggerated reports that have been so freely circulated in the East, especially among theatrical agencies regarding the dulness of times, the poor patronage bestowed upon theatrical companies visiting Los Angeles, Mr. Hayman is not afraid to trust his own



Maurice Barrymore.

judgment, guided by his more intimate knowledge of the situation, and he therefore, gives us once more an opportunity, after an absence of two years, to witness the performances of this famous company, and will doubtless be repaid by the large business they will do. It is not often that Los Angeles is favored with an attraction that has the celebrity attached to it that Mr. Palmer's company has, and that the engagement will prove successful artistically, as well as financially, will no doubt be fully attested during their stay among us. The roster of the company is now much stronger than formerly, in fact, it is the largest in number and strongest in artists of any organization that Mr. Palmer has ever been the head of. Among the cast can be found the names of Maurice Barrymore, Frederick Robinson, E. M. Holland, J. H. Stoddard, Ada Dyras, Maud Harrison, Mrs. E. J. Phillips, Nanette Goodrich, etc., making it another of the foremost dramatic companies in this country.



Ada Dyras.

The plays that have been selected to be presented are the strongest in Mr. Palmer's repertoire, comprising, as they do, nothing but successes, all of which have enjoyed a season's run at his Madison Square Theater, New York. The opening piece will be "Haddon Chambers' strong character play, Capt. Swift," followed by "Henry Jones' Saints and Sinners," Sir Charles L. Young's remarkable play in four acts, "Jim the Penman," Augustus Thomas's comedy, entitled "A Man of the World," and Ralph B. Lumley's farcical comedy, "Aunt Jack." The manner in which they are to be presented is as follows:



Mrs. E. J. Phillips.

Monday, August 11th, Capt. Swift; Tuesday and Friday, August 12th and 15th, Saints and Sinners; Wednesday and Saturday, August 13th and 16th, Jim the Penman; Thursday and Saturday matinee, August 14th and 16th, (double bill) A Man of the World and Aunt Jack.

With so strong a company in a repertoire which includes some of the best productions of the day, this engagement should mark an event often to be referred to with pleasant recollections. Commencing with the Palmer engagement, the Grand Opera-house will be made the coolest spot in our city, as it is the intention of the new management

to introduce a complete system of ventilation. Owing to the many applications for seats that have already been made, the reserved seat sale will open one week in advance, on Monday, August 4th at 10 a.m.

THE USUAL AMOUNT.

S. Nicoletti Sues the Herald for \$50,000 for Libel. The difficulties between the Herald and certain members of the local Democracy assumed a new phase yesterday by the filing of papers with the County Clerk by Stephen Nicoletti in a \$50,000 libel suit. Nicoletti is the keeper of the New High-street saloon which came in for unfavorable mention in the course of the affair, and is the man to whom allusion was made in the "set-up-have-a-Democratic-movement" editorial as having served a term in San Quentin. A retraction of the statement has since appeared in the editorial columns of the Herald, but this, it seems, has not satisfied the injured feelings of Nicoletti.

In the complaint filed the plaintiff sets forth that the defendant, "well knowing the premises, did on the 20th of July, 1890, caused to be published in the Herald certain false and defamatory matter, of and concerning the plaintiff." The famous editorial, "Let Us Have a Democratic Movement," is then quoted in full.

The complaint then continues: "That afterward, to wit, on the 23rd day of July, 1890, the said J. D. Lynch, one of the defendants herein, at the law office of Stephen M. White, did publicly assert that the plaintiff herein was the person to whom he had reference in the foregoing article as having served a term of imprisonment in San Quentin."

The complaint proceeds: "The said language was published of and concerning the plaintiff by the defendants as aforesaid with the intent and meaning to convey, and the same was by the person who read such language as published as aforesaid understood and believed to convey, as a 'voidable' marriage, viz., marriage with a minor, which could be made null at the demand of the guardian of the child. But the mother of the child had now given her consent to the marriage which had taken place. As far as the charge of rape was concerned, the affidavit from the girl set forth that in the time which followed the arrest of Brooks, although she and the defendant had occupied the same room, nothing had taken place on which to base the charge, as she had been ill.

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THE COURTS.

The Santa Monica Rape Sensation.

BROOKS GETS A NEW TRIAL.

Appearance of His Wife in Court—The Chinese Murder Trial—Several Witnesses Examined—Notes.

Thomas A. Brooks, who was a short time ago tried and convicted of committing rape on the person of Anna Caskey, now his wife, was yesterday granted a new trial.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, while the Chinese murder trial was in progress before Judge McKinley, Brooks was brought into court, accompanied by his wife and by his mother, C. C. Stephens, Esq., his attorney, presented an affidavit from the wife which, he said, offered sufficient new evidence to admit of a motion for a new trial. Mr. Stephens remarked that he had had the girl brought into court in order that the Judge might take a look at her. It had always been represented during the trial that she was a young thing—a mere child—and it was under the influence of this idea that the jury had returned its verdict of guilty.

Judge McKinley, as the argument was in progress, cast a few furtive glances at the defendant's wife, who was seated beside her husband within the box. She had the appearance of a woman of 20, being tall and well formed, and weighing perhaps one hundred and forty pounds. There was nothing to suggest the 14-year-old girl, except a very innocent face. Mr. Stephens argued at length upon the point of law involved in the quasi marriage, maintaining that as the girl believed herself married to Brooks, and as he asserted that he meant to marry her, they were joined together in what the law regarded as a "voidable" marriage, viz., marriage with a minor, which could be made null at the demand of the guardian of the child. But the mother of the child had now given her consent to the marriage which had taken place. As far as the charge of rape was concerned, the affidavit from the girl set forth that in the time which followed the arrest of Brooks, although she and the defendant had occupied the same room, nothing had taken place on which to base the charge, as she had been ill.

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vs. Cotti was continued to August 13th at 2 p.m.

NEW CASES. Stephen Nicoletti vs. J. J. Ayers and J. D. Lynch, copartners. Suit for damages in the sum of \$50,000 for libel.

The Gray Bros. Artificial Stone Company vs. D. J. Twichell and Ellen S. Twichell. Action on street assessment.

Mrs. L. H. Meserve et al. vs. A. B. Lawson. Notice of appeal to the Superior Court.

C. J. Woods vs. G. S. Mayhew and Clara Mayhew. Suit for foreclosure of mortgage given to satisfy promissory note of \$1500.

Salome B. de Raggio and seven other infants by Salome B. de Raggio, their guardian, vs. T. T. Hill et al. Suit for injunction to prevent defendants from interfering with plaintiffs' water right.

Matha H. Merrill vs. F. H. Merrill. Suit for judgment in the sum of \$3000, to be a lien upon certain lands.

Mrs. H. A. Wilson petitions Judge McKinley to be appointed guardian of Chester Curran, on the ground that his mother, Mrs. Curran, is a woman of dissolute habits and not a fit person to act as his guardian.

S. M. Stratton vs. Charles W. Munger. Suit to quiet title.

Mason K. McElroy vs. Charles H. Clark et al. Suit for foreclosure of mortgage given to satisfy note of \$1000.

Second-street Cable. A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Crown Hill's Improvement Society was held last night at the Ellis College building, to hear reports concerning the Second-street cable project. It was stated that success was assured, as the subscriptions were but a few thousand dollars short, and the Messrs. Whitmer assured those present that the road will be built.

Workingmen's Meeting. A meeting of laboring men, under the auspices of the Workingmen's Independent Republican Club, was held at Oro Fino Hall, on Spring street, last evening, which was addressed by Mayor Hazard and other speakers.

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The State tax levy last year was 72 cents, against 50 cents in the preceding year. This was the heaviest State tax levied in the United States for the same period, with the exception of that of Nevada, which was 90 cents. In New York it was 28 cents, and in Ohio 27 cents, although both those States have large debts. Our late unlamented Legislature shovelled out of the State coffers the enormous sum of \$12,734,010, besides 12 per cent for cost of collection and delinquency.

The San Francisco Bulletin, a journal much affected by the merchants and solid taxpayers of San Francisco, has for many years kept up an aggressive war upon municipal and State extravagance. It has devoted special attention to the reckless wastefulness displayed by the late Legislature in handling the people's money. After asserting that the most important State question before us at the present time is how a repetition of this pillage can be prevented, the Bulletin says:

A strong and determined Governor can do a great deal for the protection of the State. The Legislature of 1891 will not differ very materially from any of its predecessors. There is no solid ground for the hope that any consideration for the public interest will be found in it. No change for the better can be brought about without a change being made in the methods of selecting law-makers. No sign of any movement of that kind is anywhere discernible. A Legislature bent on shovelling out the people's money can be looked for in 1891 with considerable certainty. But if we have a strong Governor his waste and extravagance can be greatly checked. The Governor, under the Constitution, is endowed with large powers just for that purpose. He can, by indirect means at least, compel the production of the Appropriation Bill in proper time. And when he has worked his will upon it he can call for the general tax levy and make the two agree before he signs it.

But if the Governor joins with bootlickers, and merely insists upon his own share of the swag, we will be again undone. It is quite evident under the circumstances that no ordinary man can acceptably fill the place of Chief Magistrate. He must have will enough to deny himself to all callers during the last ten days of the session of the Legislature, and in the privacy of his office, acting on his conscience and his knowledge of the law and public affairs, slash right and left at the work of the bootlickers. No man who is not endowed with the courage and the knowledge to follow the line of policy above indicated, can retire from the gubernatorial office with grace. It is an office which no man destitute of the qualifications stated should seek to undertake, who has any regard for his future reputation. It is a station in which much will be required. Meretricious criticism will be sure to follow a failure.

There is much truth in what the Bulletin says. The people of California have had a serious lesson and should take it to heart. Unfortunately, as the Bulletin observes, little reliance can be placed upon the Legislature, as a power for good. We must have a strong Governor—a man with a will of his own and a determination to enforce it. He should be, moreover, a practical man of affairs, not a theorist. Such a man is Col. H. H. Markham. With him at the helm, the people of California may rest assured that no wholesale or retail legislative steals will be railroaded through. The hard-earned millions of the people will not be frittered away. Markham is the man for the position. In choosing him we shall make no mistake.

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THAT peculiar work of Count Tolstol's, the "Kreuzer Sonata," has been excluded from the United States mails. The directors of the Los Angeles library recently received a sample copy of the book, and refused it as unfitted for general circulation.

ANOTHER attempt to kill the Czar has been frustrated. Who would be a Czar?

AMONG THE POLITICIANS.

POND THE DEMOCRATIC FAVORITE.

A prominent Democrat, in discussing the situation yesterday, said: "I am in a position to ascertain the sentiment of the country on the question, and I can say positively that Pond is the general favorite. In the last three weeks I have interviewed prominent men, merchants and lawyers as well as politicians from as many as half of the counties of the State, and in nearly every instance I have found that Pond was the strongest man. The almost universal reply to my interrogations would be: 'Well, you understand, of course, that we have a local candidate, but Pond is our second choice.' By this I am convinced that he is by long odds the favorite, and I regard his nomination as a foregone conclusion."

MORROW FOR CONGRESS.

If Col. Markham succeeds in securing the nomination for Governor, it is probable that Congressman Morrow's friends will prevail upon him to make the race again in the Fourth District. He announces, however, that it is his desire to retire from the House of Representatives at the end of his present term, and that he would prefer a Federal judgeship to any elective office. He is a poor man, and urges this as a reason for his wishes in the matter; but his adherents have already wired him that if he will consent to contest the district again, his campaign expenses will be fully paid. One firm, in fact, has volunteered to contribute the whole amount, but Mr. Morrow declined the offer, saying that he is not a candidate for reelection. In spite of this, it is believed that he will be induced to change his mind.

NOTES.

Superior Judge Buckles of Solano has been renominated.

Gen. Mahone of Virginia is dropping out of politics into speculation.

Tuolumne Republican delegates are unpledged, but will probably vote for Morrow.

The task before the Democrats in the coming campaign is simple, but not easy.—[San Francisco Examiner.]

A San Francisco firm has offered to pay W. W. Morrow's entire campaign expenses if he will again run for Congress.

Wrecked by a Switch Engine.

HANNIBAL (Mo.) Aug. 2.—A crowded passenger coach on the St. Louis and Hannibal Railroad was wrecked in a collision with a switch engine this afternoon. Two colored men, David Summers and Harvey Letcher of New London, were killed outright. Frank Porter (colored) was fatally injured. Several others were seriously hurt. The engineer of the switch engine, William Togale, was arrested and charged with criminal carelessness.

THE NEW CRUISER.

Preliminary Trial of the San Francisco.

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By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The new cruiser San Francisco made her first preliminary trial on the bay this afternoon. She steamed for five hours at an easy rate of speed, and according to the statement of her builders the trip was a thorough success in every way.

No attempt was made to force the cruiser, the only object being to give the new machinery a preliminary test. Her speed under half measure with the engines making a maximum of sixty-six revolutions per minute was ten knots an hour.

The trial will be continued on the bay during the coming week, and the cruiser will probably not start to Santa Barbara channel for her official trip before August 11th.

OFFICERS IN DISGRACE.

Result of the Recent Court-martial in Tucson.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] A Washington special says: The War Department has received court-martial documents in the cases of Millmore, Wham, Towar and Kimball, army officers recently tried at Tucson, Ariz. It is understood the charge against Millmore of the fraudulent rental of his private property to the Government at an exorbitant figure was not sustained by the court-martial. It is understood he is found guilty of charging the Government \$150 for a typewriter which was never bought. The evidence adduced showed that the man whose name was signed to the Government vouchers never sold typewriters. At Capt. Millmore's request he had signed a blank voucher. It is understood upon his conviction in this latter instance Capt. Millmore was dismissed from the army.

It is understood that both Wham and Towar, charged with irregularities in the rental of departments to the Government, have been acquitted. Maj. Kimball, who is charged with neglect of duty, is sentenced to a reprimand.

BAD INDIANS.

They Attack a Saloonist Who Refused Them Whisky.

FRESNO, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] A special to the Republican from Fresno Plains, a valley east of here in the mountains, brings word that on Thursday night a company of Indians rode up to a saloon kept by Cox and demanded whisky. This was refused them and they were driven out. Later Cox was ambushed by Indians and nearly beaten to death. His skull was broken open, and he is not expected to live. A posse of citizens, with Samuel Ross, ex-constable of Merced, tried to capture the Indians. One Indian started to run, and Ross fired, intending to wound the Indian. The bullet entered his groin, and the wound is expected to prove fatal.

TRAINS DELAYED.

Heavy Rains Cause Bad Washouts in Arizona.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Heavy rains fell at Casa Grande and vicinity last night, demolishing telegraph wires and completely inundating the Southern Pacific track for one mile near Picacho, and washing the road away for some distance. Construction trains were at the break early this morning from Tucson and Gila Bend, and the work of repairing the damage is being pushed with all haste. The east-bound train is held at Casa Grande while the west-bound train is held at Tucson. It is thought trains will be able to pass early in the morning.

A BLAZE AT TULARE.

A Woman Supposed to Have Been Burned to Death.

TULARE, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] At 8 o'clock tonight fire destroyed a dwelling-house in West Tulare, owned by Oscar Evans and occupied by two ladies, one of whom was in Fresno. The other, it is feared, was burned. The woman was seen to enter the house a few minutes before the fire and light a lamp. A few minutes later the house was in flames and the woman could not be found. The cause of the fire is supposed to have been an explosion of the lamp. The loss and insurance are unknown.

Convicted of Murder.

OYSTERVILLE (Wash.) Aug. 2.—John Edwards was today convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Mrs. Jens F. Fredericksen. The jury was out but a short time. The verdict was a great surprise to all, as the defense was confident of an acquittal. The case will be appealed.

Railway Excitement at Gilroy.

GILROY, Aug. 2.—Considerable excitement has been caused here by talk that the Atchison road is coming through Pacheco Pass, a short distance from Gilroy. Three surveyors, who said they were working for the Atchison road, left for the pass yesterday morning.

The Santa Ana Fair.

SANTA ANA, Aug. 2.—The directors of the Orange County Fair met today and appointed a committee to prepare a premium list, select rooms for holding meetings and grounds for fair purposes. It was determined to hold a county fair in the latter part of October.

Supposed Grain-thief Caught.

SANTA ANA, Aug. 2.—A Mexican named Serrano was arrested on the San Joaquin ranch about 10 o'clock tonight on suspicion of being the thief who has been stealing grain by the wagonload. He was lodged in the City Jail.

THE PARTY OF PROTEST.

Columbus Democrats Object to the Federal Election Bill.

COLUMBUS (O.) Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] A meeting under the auspices of the Thurman Club to protest against the passage of the Federal Election Bill was held at the east front of the Capitol, this evening. About fifteen hundred persons were present. It was expected that Judge Thurman would preside and make a brief speech, but when the committee called to escort him to the meeting he presented them with a letter to be read, which contained his regrets, and the information that sickness alone prevented him from fulfilling his promise. He wrote briefly in denunciation of the bill, and its provisions, and expressed the opinion that the measure would not pass the Senate.

A letter of regret was read from ex-President Cleveland in which he expressed the desire to be enrolled among those who protest against the passage of the bill, and expressing a wish that indications were not so numerous that a climax of Congressional recklessness was being reached in which the protests of the people have little weight. Senator-elect Brice sent a letter saying that the proposed law is repugnant to Democratic ideas and full of danger to the Republic. Several speeches were made against the bill. Gov. Campbell was not reached in the list of speakers until a late hour, and did not talk at length. He devoted his time to an explanation of the provisions of the bill, and the probable result of the enforcement of the bill in this State. He said the whole statement was a falsehood. Resolutions of protest were presented by Allan Thurman, and adopted. The resolutions were in sympathy with the general tenor of the addresses.

CHOOSING DELEGATES.

MORE COUNTY CONVENTIONS HELD.

Stockton Republicans Have a Loaning for Shippee—Most of the Delegates Unpledged—The Democracy Not Idle.

By Telegraph to The Times.

STOCKTON, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The San Joaquin county Republicans today nominated the following ticket: Judges of the Superior Court, Ansel Smith and E. J. Jones; Sheriff, Thomas Cunningham; Recorder and Auditor, John Perrott, Jr.; Treasurer, N. Nevin; Superintendent of Schools, George Goodell; Clerk, J. W. Willy; Assessor, O. F. Atwood; District Attorney, F. W. Bennett; Public Administrator, J. R. Claves; Coroner, Dr. E. P. Clark; Surveyor, G. A. Albertson; Assemblyman, Fifth District, R. S. Johnson; Assemblyman, Fifty-ninth District, J. L. Beecher, Jr. Delegates to the State Convention were also elected. The delegation is unanimous for L. U. Shippee for Governor, and was pledged by the convention to use every honorable means to secure his nomination.

The convention, in resolutions passed, recognized the public services of Senator Stanford, and say it is a matter of congratulation that he has consented to again allow his name to be presented as a candidate for the Senate.

A resolution was also adopted urging legislators from this county to press the constitutional amendment assembly growing from the tax on taxation until they are five years old.

OTHER REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

MARYSVILLE, Aug. 2.—The convention of the Republican party of Yuba county took place in this city today. Delegates to the State and Congressional conventions were appointed.

EUREKA, Aug. 2.—The Republican Convention for Humboldt county today elected delegates to the State Convention, and adopted resolutions endorsing the present Administration and favoring the nomination of De Haven for the Supreme Court and L. F. Kinsey for Railroad Commissioner.

COLUSA, Aug. 2.—The Republican Convention nominated a county ticket today. Delegates to the State Convention are said to favor Chipman for Governor, with Morrow as second choice.

MODESTO, Aug. 2.—The Stanislaus Republican Convention met here today. The platform indorses the Administration, upholds the action of Congress and indorses Senator Stanford for reelection. Delegates to the State Convention were elected and a county ticket was nominated.

SAN QUENTIN, Aug. 2.—Democratic and Republican primaries were held today to select delegates to the State and county conventions.

QUINCY, Aug. 2.—The Plumas Republican County Committee selected delegates to the State and District conventions today. The committee took a vote on choice for Governor, which resulted: Morrow, 14; Chipman, 8; Markham, 1.

WOODLAND, Aug. 2.—The Yolo Republican County Convention elected delegates to the State Convention today. They were instructed to support Judge C. H. Garoutt for Justice of the Supreme Court.

THE DEMOCRACY.

NEVADA, Aug. 2.—The Democratic County Convention elected delegates to the State Convention today, and instructed them to use every endeavor to have the State Convention indorse Stephen M. White for United States Senator.

SAN ANDREAS, Aug. 2.—The Calaveras County Democratic Convention nominated candidates for county offices today. Delegates to the State Convention were instructed to support Coleman for Governor. Caminetti was indorsed for Congress.

WEAVERVILLE, Aug. 2.—The Democratic Convention for Trinity county today elected delegates to the State Convention and indorsed Hon. T. W. Shanahan for Congress.

SONORA, Aug. 2.—The Democratic Convention of Tuolumne county selected delegates to the State Convention today. They are said to favor Coleman for Governor and Caminetti for Congress.

Daring Robbery.

TACOMA (Wash.) Aug. 2.—William Buck of San Felipe, Cal., who has been spending a few days in this city, today had a valise in his hand and was about to board a train for Portland, when two strangers brushed up against him and robbed him of \$5000 in stocks, notes and cash, which he carried in his inside waistcoat pocket. The Portland police were given a description of one of the men.

Chicago Sweeters.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—The temperature reached the highest point of the season today, the mercury registering 95° several hours this afternoon, and late this evening it had gotten below 90°. A number of cases of prostration are reported.

TURF MEN DELIGHTED.

A Day of Rare Sport in the East.

Jack Wins the Great Match with Palo Alto at Detroit.

Electioneer's Son Breaks the Record in One of the Heats.

Tenny Captures the Eatontown Stakes from Frenzi at Monmouth Park—Events on Other Race Tracks.

By Telegraph to The Times.

DETROIT (Mich.) Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Forty-five hundred people witnessed the grand contest today between Palo Alto, son of Electioneer, and Jack, son of Pilot Medium. The day was warm, the track in good condition and the wind light. People

a mile—Clarendon won, Kildeer second, Relapse third. Time, 1:16.
Two-year-olds, five furlongs—Adventure won, Latta second, Fearless third. Time, 1:13.

OTHER RACES.

Closing Day of the Twin City Jockey Club.

St. Paul, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] This was the closing day of the Twin City Jockey Club's races. Two-year-olds, three-quarters of a mile—Palfena won, Annie Brown second, Chimes third. Time, 1:16.
Three-year-olds and upward, mile and a sixteenth—Grace D. won, Jack-staff second, Barney third. Time, 1:50.
Twin City Merchants' handicap, mile and seventy yards—Cousin Jeana won, Nevada second, Cashier third. Time, 1:46.
All ages, mile—Delmar won, Miss Hawkins second, Crawford third. Time, 1:42.
Mile and a furlong—Catalpa won, Verge d'Or second. Time, 1:54.
Two-year-olds, three-quarters of a mile—Michael won, Anarchist second, Philora third. Time, 1:16.
Three-year-olds and upward, mile and twenty yards—Mama Fonso won, Plemis second, Meckie H. third. Time, 1:46.

SARATOGA EVENTS.

SARATOGA, Aug. 2.—First race, six furlongs—Lord Henry won, Void second, Fairview third. Time, 1:16.
Second race—Come-to-Taw won, Lavina Belle second, Hypocrite third. Time, 2:08.
Third race—Sir John won, Master-love second, Santiago third. Time, 1:51.
Fourth race, six furlongs—Drizzle won, Irene second, Blue Hook third. Time, 1:16.
Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth—E. R. Millean won, Clay Stockton second, Carrie G. third. Time, 1:50.

THE BALL FIELD.

CLEVELAND BROTHERS SHUT OUT BY PHILADELPHIA.

Some Well-played Contests on National League Diamonds—The San Francisco and Sacramento Win Games.

By Telegraph to The Times.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The Cleveland brotherhood club's fielding errors gave Philadelphia another victory today. Attendance 2900.
Cleveland.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Philadelphia.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 5
Batteries: Obrien and Sutcliffe, Sanders and Milligan.

BUFFALO, Aug. 2.—The Bisons played a great game today and downed the Boston in an exciting contest. Attendance 2900.
Buffalo.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7
Boston.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5
Batteries: Cunningham and Mack, Daly, Gumbert and Sweet.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 2.—Pittsburgh easily defeated Brooklyn today by better playing.
Pittsburgh.....0 1 0 0 2 1 0 11
Brooklyn.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3
Batteries: Staley and Quinn, Van Halten, Henning and Cook.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—New York defeated Chicago in a sharply contested game today. Attendance 6600.
Chicago.....1 0 0 2 1 2 0 6
New York.....3 0 0 3 0 1 0 8
Batteries: Baldwin and Farrell, Keefe, Ewing and W. Ewing.

National League Games.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 2.—Cincinnati won today by hard batting.
Cincinnati.....4 0 0 0 3 0 0 3-11
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3-3
Batteries: Mullane, Harrington and Keenan, Vickery, Gleason and Clements.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 2.—The New Yorks lost the game this afternoon through Russ's carelessness. Attendance 500.
Cleveland.....0 2 5 0 0 0 1 0-9
New York.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1-3
Batteries: Beatin and Zimmer, Rusie and Buckley.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—But for Clark-son's steadiness today Boston would have gone down before Anson's men. Attendance 3200.
Chicago.....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-4
Boston.....1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0-5
Batteries: Stein and Kittredge, Clarkson and Bennett.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 2.—Brooklyn won by good batting. Attendance 1700.
Pittsburgh.....0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0-9
Brooklyn.....3 0 0 1 0 0 4 2-9
Batteries: Baker and Decker, Terry and Daly.

American Association.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Brooklyn, 9; Toledo, 4.
SYRACUSE, Aug. 2.—Syracuse, 0; Louisville, 8.
ROCHESTER, Aug. 2.—Rochester, 4; St. Louis, 5.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 2.—Athletics, 0; Columbus, 3.

The California League.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—The 'Frisco turned the tables on Stockton today, winning by a score of 11 to 5. Both pitchers were hit hard, but the home team won by bunching their best drives.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 2.—The Sacramento had it all their own way in the game with Oakland today. The Colonels could not hit Harper safely, and did not put up a winning ball in the field. Score: Sacramento, 7; Oakland, 2.

The Scotch Outter Won.

NEWPORT (R. I.), Aug. 2.—The forty-footers' race today for the \$250 cup offered by Commodore Iselin was exciting in the extreme, and although the little Scotch outter Minerva had had luck at the outer mark, her splendid handling and fine windward work resulted in the defeat of her four Burgess competitors. The corrected time was: Minerva, 4:25:59; Gossoun, 4:28:48; Moccasin, 4:33:57; Marquette, 4:38:59; Choctaw, 5:03:15.

The Peacemaker's Usual Luck.

OGDEN (Utah), Aug. 2.—In a sensational shooting affair in a saloon this morning, John Hamer was mortally wounded by James Griffin. Griffin received fatal wounds, and A. C. Emerson was shot in the foot. The quarrel grew out of a dispute over the election between Hamer and Emerson. Hamer was acting as peacemaker.

The Northwestern's Finances.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—The annual report of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway for the fiscal year ended May 31st shows: Gross earnings, \$27,164,837; operating expenses, \$16,651,002; net receipts, \$10,513,835. The net earnings for the year show an increase of \$440 compared with the previous year.

MORE TARIFF TALK.

Blair Trying to End the Long Debate.

The Senate Proceeding Very Slowly with the McKinley Bill.

Plumb and Paddock Again Cast Their Votes with the Democrats.

The House Again Sends the Sundry Civil Appropriation to a Conference—Other Proceedings.

By Telegraph to The Times.

WASHINGTON (D. C.), Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The Senate, the resolution offered yesterday by Mr. Blair, instructing the Committee on Rules to report within four days a rule for the incorporation of the previous question or of some method of limiting and closing the debate in the parliamentary proceedings of the Senate, was taken up.

Mr. Blair said Senators had spoken to him indicating their desire to be heard before action should be taken in the matter. He should therefore not present the resolution this morning, but he desired to say that he had offered the resolution, not with special reference to any pending bill, but with the feeling that there was a necessity for the proposed change. A period has arrived when in the transaction of the country's business the Senate must have some way by which a larger number of important public measures could be decided. As it now was the whole business of the country was at the mercy of one or two individuals who might be opposed to a measure. The majority was practically under the control of the minority. Nobody could complain that there had been a disposition to procrastinate or obstruct the ordinary course of debate, and the decision on the tariff bill, yet, although the Senate had already spent ten days upon it, only fifteen pages had been disposed of out of a total of one hundred and eighty-two pages in the bill, and all the great subjects of discussion—sugar reciprocity, etc.—were still to come. There was no reason to suppose, therefore, that existing rules of the bill would be concluded before next December.

Mr. Morgan reminded Mr. Blair of the long time, "six or seven weeks," consumed in the consideration of the Education Bill and said that the time had not been wasted as the result of the discussion of that bill had been its defeat, just as he hoped the debate on the tariff bill would result in the defeat of that measure.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules. The tariff bill was then taken up, the question being upon Mr. Vest's amendment to reduce the duty on decorated china to 60 per cent. ad valorem and on plain white china to 40 per cent. instead of 60 and 55 per cent. in the House bill and 55 and 60, as proposed by the Finance Committee. The amendment was discussed pro and con at length.

Mr. Gorman thanked Mr. Allison for his frank statement. After further discussion of the chinaware paragraph Mr. George took the floor and made a long speech on the general subject of tariff.

Mr. Platt repelled and denounced an assertion made by Mr. George, to the effect that while the duty on steel rails was \$11 a ton, the labor in producing the article cost only \$1.54. The fact was, if the production of a ton of steel rails cost \$24, the labor portion of that cost was not only \$1.54, but ten times that amount.

Mr. Jones of Arkansas supported Mr. George's statement about steel rails and also spoke on chinaware matters, apropos of which he read from a paper a report from Findlay, O., as to the purchase by an English syndicate of various glassware factories, and said the effect of tariff legislation was to encourage such trusts and syndicates.

Mr. Reagan warned the Senators that the Farmers' Alliance and workmen's associations were not to be ignored. A conference was ordered on the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill. At 5 o'clock Mr. Aldrich, Indiana, intending to move an adjournment, proposed that a vote on the pending question be taken on Monday without further discussion.

"Take a vote now; we are ready. We are always ready to take a vote as soon as discussion is over," were the responses from several Senators on the Democratic side.

Mr. Aldrich did not think there was a quorum present, but he was willing to try.

A vote was taken on Mr. Vest's amendment, and the result was—yeas, 17; nays, 20—no quorum. Messrs. Paddock and Plumb voted with the Democrats.

The Senate adjourned. House.—After some debate the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill was finally sent to a conference, and the House adjourned.

WITH DUE HONORS.

Ericsson's Remains to Be Taken to His Native Land.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The Acting Secretary of the Navy has sent a communication to the commandant at the New York Navy-yard stating that the department has fixed the 23d of August as the time for the embarkation of the remains of the late John Ericsson for transportation to his native country on board of the United States ship Baltimore. In his letter the Acting Secretary says:

It is the department's desire to surround the embarkation with every circumstance that can invest it with dignity and solemnity. All vessels of war that may be available will be assembled in New York and will be directed to unite with you in paying to the deceased honors befitting his rank and distinguished name. The department has invited all associations composed of friends, companions or former countrymen of Capt. Ericsson to take part in the procession to the Battery.

Gen. Grant's Remains.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—In the Senate this afternoon Mr. Plumb offered a concurrent resolution and asked that it lie over until Monday. It recites:

That Congress desires the removal of the remains of the illustrious soldier and statesman, U. S. Grant, to and their interment in the Arlington National Cemetery, and that the President be requested to convey to the widow such aid, tending to her, on behalf of the Nation all necessary facilities for such removal and interment.

EASTERN FRUIT MARKET.

A Chicago Dealer's Review of the Situation.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] "The supply of fruit is good, considering the various unfavorable circumstances," said L. G. Kunz, a fruit dealer. "With fine pears, plums, prunes, apples, peaches and grapes in abundance it would be folly to talk of a fruit famine. Still, things are not as they ought to be. This is due to the almost total failure of the fruit crop in the near-by district.

"What tides us over the difficulty though is the California supply. The nearest pear of all in the market just now is the mountain Bartlett from California, which retails at from 50 to 60 cents a dozen. Nice Crawford peaches sell at from 20 to 75 cents a dozen. Besides these are the Foster and strawberry peaches, which are also good. There are fine plums, such as Japan plums, selling at \$1.50 per box of five pounds, egg plums, the finest of which bring 90 cents a box, and peach plums, which bring \$1. The largest demand and supply, however, is in German prunes, the best and sweetest we ever had in Chicago, selling at \$1.25 per five-pound box.

"In grapes we have Concorda from Georgia, selling at \$1 for ten-pound baskets, and California Sweetwater and Fontainebleau at 50 cents per five-pound box. Of oranges we still have the paper-rind St. Michaels of California, selling at 75 cents a dozen. Nectarines are poor and scarce, and so are apricots, but pineapples of fair quality still retail at 40 cents each.

"Generally speaking, however, the fruit market is badly demoralized and is in a very unsettled state. There is very little home fruit, and what there is is not good. Even California fruit is not what it usually is. Among first-class quality we get rarely perfect specimens, either of peach, pear or plum. How quiet is the market is shown from the fact that I myself have been shipping fruit of all kinds from here to Florida."

Havoc Caused by Hail.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 2.—A destructive hail and thunder storm passed over the eastern portion of Manitoba last night, doing tremendous damage to crops. Many houses in the villages were damaged and two or three people killed.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The Albina Hotel at Albina, Or., was burned Friday night. Loss, \$17,000.

The French government has granted amnesty to all persons engaged in the recent labor strikes.

James Clark & Co. coffee dealers of New Orleans, have failed. Liabilities, \$150,000; assets, \$95,000.

The A. A. Freeman Company's large store and mill at La Crosse, Wis., was burned yesterday. Loss, \$300,000; insurance, \$100,000.

Clement J. Chandler, treasurer, and William C. Chandler, Jr., manager of the Erie Transfer Company of New York city, have been arrested, charged with swindling the corporation out of \$10,000.

A Marquette (Mich.) dispatch says that Holzmay, the highwayman, who has tried to starve himself, is now kept alive by a quart of milk which is injected through his nostrils by the prison physician.

A Seattle passenger train bearing members of the Shrine of New York City en route to San Francisco, was derailed near Kent, Wash., on Friday. No one was injured.

The Farmers' Alliance of the Eighth Judicial District of Kansas has petitioned the Judge of the District Court, in view of the failure of the season's crops, to delay all proceedings in the foreclosure of mortgages on real estate.

Sergt. Barwick of Sacramento telegraphs the Signal Office at Washington: "Hot days are slightly injurious to most fruit crops. Otherwise the weather is favorable for harvesting and fruit gathering. Hop prospects are excellent. Grain is above an average in Napa Valley."

THE RACES.

All the Horses Now at the Track—Derby Starters.

All the horses are now at the track, the Sacramento and Santa Barbara stables having arrived yesterday.

The probable starters on the opening day on Monday are as follows:

Los Angeles Derby, one and one-half miles; Capt. Al 118, Raindrop 113, Gold Dust 111, Larghetto 111, and Marigold 106.

Edwards & McKnight stakes, one mile: Daisy D., Dan Murphy, 111; Abi, 108, Ona 105, Clara T. 92, and Peri 74.

Trotting, 2:30 class: Glendine, Barbara, Jim Leach, Lucy R. and Dick Richmond.

Trotting, 3-minute class: Sultandin, Lightfoot, Bob Mason and Biceta.

In the pools last night Glendine sold favorite in the 2:30 trot, and Raindrop in the derby.

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Notice of Guardian's Sale. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles, state of California, made on the 24th day of July, 1890, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Lucy Gibson, an insane person, the undersigned, the guardian of the person and estate of said Lucy Gibson, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, and subject to confirmation by said court, on or after the 15th day of August, 1890, the following described real estate belonging to said Lucy Gibson, to-wit: Tract certain lot or parcel of land in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, state of California, and being the northeastern thirty-four and one-half feet of lot number two, block one of the Escondido tract. The house number of said property is 245 South Hill street.

Terms and conditions of sale: For cash, the sum of \$100.00, or ten percent, of the purchase money to be paid to the undersigned guardian on day of sale, balance of the purchase money to be secured by the note and mortgage of the purchaser on said real estate and to bear interest at the rate of ten percent per annum.

Bids in writing will be received at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale, and may be addressed to the undersigned and left at his office, 78 Temple block, in the city of Los Angeles, Cal.

Date: August 2, 1890.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, Cal.

Guardian of the Person and Estate of Lucy Gibson, an Insane Person.

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By C. W. BLAKE, Deputy.



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RIFLE PRACTICE.

Close of the Cavalry Competition at Fort Wingate (N. M.).

FORT WINGATE (N. M.), Aug. 2.—The third and last days of the preliminary firing of the cavalry competition of the Division of the Pacific closed last night after a very satisfactory week. The total for the three days were as follows:

Private A. Keiser, 468 points out of a possible 500; Corporal J. C. Thornton, 459; First Sergt. M. Finnigen, 440; Sergt. T. E. O. Perkin, 438; Corporal E. H. Stiner, 434; Private J. B. Foley, 427; Private G. L. Mitchell, 425; Sergt. T. G. W. Henry, 417; Corporal M. B. Swanson, 413; Lieut. A. Gray, 449; Capt. J. B. Kerr, 449; Sergt. H. Hensler, 434.

MARRIED.

MEIKLEJOHN-MARTIN—By license on 1st inst. H. A. Meiklejohn of Los Angeles to Lillie, daughter of the late Capt. Martin Lewis of Scotland.

DIED.

McGILL—August 2, 1890, Anna, beloved wife of William H. McGill, aged 31 years.

Funeral Sunday, August 3d, at 3 p.m., from Orr & Smith's parlors.

CLARK—On Saturday, August 2, 1890, at 10:30 p.m., Capt. George J. Clark, aged 73 years.

Announcement of funeral later.

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SATURDAY'S EXCURSIONS to Coronado leave Los Angeles at 8:15 a.m., returning at 4 p.m. Monday. Tickets, including 24 days' board and room at the hotel, \$11, for sale at Santa Fe office, 129 North Main street, at First Street depot and other depots as heretofore.

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OFFICE OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS of Los Angeles county, Cal., Los Angeles, Cal., July 29, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that a re-registration of the voters of Los Angeles county, State of California, in accordance with section 194 et seq. Pol. Code and the act amendatory thereto, has been ordered by the Board of Supervisors under date of July 11, 1890.

Said re-registration commenced July 23d, and will continue eight days from that date. All voters must be re-registered.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, Cal.

J. M. MEREDITH, County Clerk.

By C. W. BLAKE, Deputy.

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Plaid Organdies, 15 cents; good value at 20 cents.	15c	Plaid Organdies, 15 cents; good value at 20 cents.
Plaid and stripe Organdies, at 12½c; worth 15 cents.	12½c	Plaid and Stripe Organdies, at 12½c; worth 15 cents.
Ladies' Balbrigan Jersey Vests, worth 75c, for 50c.	50c	Ladies' Balbrigan Jersey Vests, worth 75c, for 50c.

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REDONDO.

Regular Chautauqua Assembly Proceedings.

THE LECTURE OF DR. DOBBS.

"The Pharaohs of the Oppression and the Exodus"—Close of the Athletic Sports—Notes and Personal.

REDONDO BEACH, Aug. 2.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] Redondo is the scene of growing activity. Not only is this apparent at the assembly but in all business circles.

The early classes of the Chautauqua met as usual. As the last bell was ringing for the 11 o'clock lecture, a telegram was handed to President Fleming, stating that Jehu De Witt Miller, who was advertised to speak, could not be present until 6 p.m. Dr. A. S. Dobbs, one of the founders of the C.L.S.C., a prominent New York lecturer, supplied the place. "The Pharaohs of the Oppression and the Exodus" was the theme.

DR. DOBBS'S LECTURE.

He believes that the world had existed at least 6000 years before the Christian era, instead of the generally accepted 4000. Egyptian tombs and monuments prove the statement, "and if we want to keep our children from becoming infidels, we must teach them the truth, as found in scriptural history."

The Cape of Good Hope, he said, was not first rounded in the fifteenth century, but that soon after the death of Joseph, Hattassu, Queen of Egypt, sent out a fleet from the mouth of the Nile, which completely circumnavigated Egypt. He described the tomb of the thirty-nine Pharaohs, and told how each was identified by the inscribed golden plates upon the breast, and the inscriptions woven into the mummy cloth that wrapped the body. He exhibited a scrap of cloth, cut from the shroud of Ramses II, and gave a creditable account of how he came by it. Scarab, or tumble-bugs, of wood, stone and porcelain, were also shown. These were taken from a pharaoh's mummy, when they were placed upon the body is embalmed, and signify that man sprang from nothing.

Speaking of Egyptian literature, he said "The Business Man's Companion" was published twenty-five hundred years before the time of Moses, and the prophet had access to the "Guide to Good Manners," a thousand years old.

The speaker did not aim to amuse, but he gave a plain and accurate narrative of that leading race of antiquity. He carefully understood his subject and closely analyzed the details of ancient Egyptian life. He presents many new thoughts, and he poured forth his fund of information no one remembered that he was a substitute.

HEN HUR.

The largest audience that has assembled at the amphitheater since the opening night greeted the presentation of "Ben Hur" last evening.

Music was furnished by the hotel orchestra. The "Polonaise Osceola" was rendered at the opening. Then followed the tableaux, "The Wise Men of the Desert," "Vision of the Shepherds," "Wise Men Before Herod," and "Home of the Huns." Careful attention had been given to costume, but the calcium light used was not sufficiently strong for the size of the stage, and failed to bring out the figures in detail.

As "Tirzah," Miss Fannie Kimball rendered a vocal solo, to guitar accompaniment. Her voice is clear and of sufficient volume to be distinctly audible throughout the immense auditorium.

The dialogue between "Arris" and "Ben Hur" was rendered by Charles Vogelsang and Henry Ludlum. The Jewish boy told the story of his life, and pitifully besought the haughty Roman for news of his mother and sister. The dialogue showed a careful study even of the minor details of the parts.

"The Fallen Tile" was effectively rendered by Miss Gertrude Foster. The programme closed with Prof. Ludlum's recitation of the "Chariot Race." In this selection the Professor has made a reputation worthy of a professional tragedian.

There were three more pieces on the programme, but owing to the lateness of the hour, it was found necessary to omit them in order to reach the city last night.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

This evening Mrs. Edgerton, the celebrated vocalist, will render the following selections at the parlors of the Redondo Hotel: "King Robert of Sicily," "Winter's Tale," act v, scene iii, "Johnny Bartholomew," and "Jenny Duenlath."

Dr. W. H. Pendleton conducted the 9 o'clock Bible reading yesterday. Subject: "Christ's Priesthood Superior to that of Aaron."

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Benham have returned to the beach, and are at the hotel. Mr. Benham is engaged in drilling his chorus for next Thursday evening, when Hugo Mautfeldt will be present.

An example of telegraphic celerity: Miller sends a dispatch from Las Vegas July 31, 9 a.m. Received August 2, 11 a.m. Time, 50 hours.

Miss H. B. English was at the Redondo Hotel yesterday.

The Bonita has arrived from San Diego. She takes a cargo of barley here for San Francisco.

The Alex. Duncan arrived yesterday from San Francisco with 150 tons of general merchandise. She returns with a cargo of railroad iron and barley.

A large theater party will go up to the city Monday night from the Redondo Hotel.

Mrs. Fred Mellus has arrived to spend the summer at the beach.

Mrs. Wolfkill is located in her new residence near the Redondo Hotel.

An unusually large number of bathers were in the water yesterday.

C. M. Coltrin is tenting on Mr. Shepherd's grounds.

A party of about thirty from Azusa came down here yesterday, and have pitched their tents south of the hotel.

Mr. Carson, one of the party, brings with him some fine racing stock.

The pleasure yacht Nellie is anchored in the bay, where she will remain for some time.

Those fishing for barracuda yesterday were more than usually successful.

ATHLETIC.

The Chautauqua field sports were concluded yesterday.

The first was a mile footrace. Entered, J. D. Burks, Danie H. Burks, C. E. Patrick. Won by J. D. Burks.

Second—Fifty-yard sack race: Entered, C. D. Chapman, J. D. Burks, C. E. Patrick. Won by E. D. Chapman. Time, 0:14.

Third—Pole vault: Entered, S.

Beebe, Fay Stevenson. Won by Beebe, vaulting 7 feet 3 inches.

Fourth—Bicycle race, one mile. J. D. Burks ran against time. Time set to win the medal, 3:30; time made, 3:12.

Fifth—Potato race, fifty yards and fifty potatoes: Entered, J. D. Burks, S. Beebe, Mr. Wiggins. Won by Burks. Time, 14:06.

Six—Throwing the hammer: Entered, J. D. Burks, Sam Stevenson. Won by Burks, 48 feet, 3 inches.

Seventh—Hurdle race, 120 yards, 10 hurdles, 3 feet high: Entered, C. D. Chapman, Danie H. Burks and C. E. Patrick. Won by C. D. Chapman. Time, 16 seconds.

The hop at the Redondo Hotel last evening was a very pleasant affair. A large number of guests participated.

The tennis tournament opens Monday with gentlemen's singles. The following are the entries: Judge P. A. Van Doren, Pasadena; E. G. Woodhouse, W. E. Lester, W. L. Corson, Santa Monica; Clarence Barnes, W. S. Gilmore, Pasadena; E. H. Grasset, Santa Monica; Paul Arnold, University; Walter Williams, Long Beach, E. B. Trafts and others.

Today's programme is as follows: 8 a.m.—Morning prayers. 9:30 a.m.—Assembly Sunday-school. 11 a.m.—Sermon, Jehu De Witt Miller. 4 p.m.—Society of Christian ethics. 5 p.m.—C.L.S.C. vesper service. 8 p.m.—Address.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

The Yearly Growth of the Schools for Ten Years.

The following table shows the yearly growth of the school department of Los Angeles county for the past ten years:

Total valuation of school property.....	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890
Valuation of school apparatus.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Valuation of school libraries.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Valuation of lots, buildings and school furniture.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Average amount per teacher from State and county fund.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Rate of county school tax on the \$100.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
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Per cent. of total number.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
No. teachers who are graduates of State normal schools.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Average number of months school was maintained.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Average monthly salary.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Total No. of teachers employed.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Female.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Male.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Total No. of pupils in primary schools.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
Female.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
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Total No. of pupils in grammar schools.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
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Total No. of pupils in high school.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
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Gains, per cent.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
No. census children between 5 and 17 years of age.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
No. new districts organized.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
No. of school districts.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364
School year.....	1,473,404	1,500,000	1,526,596	1,553,192	1,579,788	1,606,384	1,632,980	1,659,576	1,686,172	1,712,768	1,739,364

The above table shows the annual growth of the school department of Los Angeles county for the past decade.

Attention is called to the apparent falling off between the years 1889 and 1890—a difference due to the organization of Orange county, which, in August, 1890, took from Los Angeles county 31 school districts, 72 teachers, 4955 children between 5 and 17 years of age, and 153 children under 5 years.

Deducting these figures from those of 1889, and comparing the remainder with the statistics of 1889-90, we find that while there has been the very small loss of 310 children between 5 and 17 years, and of 238 under 5 years of age, there has been an increase of 130 in the average daily attendance, of 30 in the number of teachers, and a marked increase in the number of normal graduates employed. Respectfully,

W. W. SEAMAN,
County Superintendent of Schools,
Los Angeles, Aug. 1, 1890.

Runaway Boys.

Yesterday morning, at 11 o'clock, a couple of youngsters named Alton Lewis, aged 5 years, and David Smith, aged 7 years, who reside with their parents, on the corner of Olive and Fifth streets, left home, and up to 1 o'clock this morning they had not been found, although several officers and three or four friends of the family spent the night looking for them. The officers are of the opinion that the youngsters took one of the trains for the beach.

The Clearing-house.

The following is the report of the Los Angeles Clearing-house for the week ending August 2d:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Total
Exchanges.....	\$128,574 34	64,995 36	50,094 25	84,942 55	95,835 27	75,625 42	\$506,087 19
Balances.....	\$38,075 93	13,072 22	12,260 62	11,922 12	17,753 77	30,070 21	\$123,784 87
Total.....							\$629,872 06

Los Angeles Republican Club.
The Los Angeles Republican Club met last night at No. 124 San Pedro street, with W. F. Henderson, president, in the chair. The meeting was addressed by C. H. Anderson, E. S. Wells, S. Porter and J. J. Neimore. A resolution was passed that each member make himself an active committee to look after all voters to see that they register.

LOCKWOOD'S CASE.

The Defendant Is Held to Answer.

JUSTICE SAVAGE'S DECISION.

Notice of Habeas Corpus Proceedings—To Be Arraigned Tomorrow—Question of Bail.

The Lockwood affair completed its first stage yesterday, and the defendant was held to answer to the Superior Court with bail fixed at \$3000. This was the result which was generally anticipated by those who had watched the course of the trial.

Court commenced at a little after 10 o'clock, when Mr. Shinn asked permission to read a certain decision which bore on the question of the meaning of the term "full knowledge."

The request was granted, and Mr. Shinn read the decision.

MOTION TO DISMISS DENIED.

The Court then said: "The several points which have been presented in this case have been taken under consideration, but it appears that only two of them need be commented upon. The first is whether the depositions in this case charge the offense. It is true that the real status of a deposition, but it is also true that it is still sufficient to justify the issuing of the warrant. The only other question is that of the meaning of the words 'full knowledge' as appearing in section 32 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. Authorities have been cited to the effect that it is necessary to prove that the defendant knew that the person harbored had committed the offense. These authorities do not appear to be based on statutes similar to those in this State. Section 32 reads: All persons who after 'full knowledge,' etc., harbor the one charged, etc. It is therefore evident that the defendant Lockwood had full knowledge that an offense had been committed? In the opinion of the Court there is. The evidence shows that the note was forged and that the defendant was present when such evidence was taken. The next question is, was Damron charged with the commission of the felony and did Lockwood know it? The evidence is that he did. Without commenting on the weight of the evidence the Court holds that sufficient has been offered on these points. The motion to dismiss is therefore denied."

NO DEFENSE.

Mr. Shinn announced that he had been decided by the defense to offer no evidence, but to submit the case as it stood. He made a short argument in conclusion, based chiefly on the questions of law involved. Mr. Hardesty replied.

HELD TO ANSWER.

The Court then said: "Something has been said by counsel about public sentiment and the efforts of the press to influence action in this case. If anything would influence me it would be something of a very different sort. I suppose that no one here can appreciate the strange and unhappy position in which I am placed. The defendant is a Justice of the Peace, who has been associated with me from the bench, and with whom during the past eighteen months I have sustained the most pleasant professional relations. If anything could influence me it would be my sympathy for the defendant."

After a brief review of the points made in the arguments of the defendant's attorney, the Court gave its decision that the defendant should be held to answer to the Superior Court.

THE QUESTION OF BAIL.

A short discussion then took place on the question of the amount of bail. Mr. Shinn contended that the sum of \$3000 was too high, and Mr. Hardesty said that it ought on the contrary be increased to \$5000. It was finally set at \$3000, and the present bond continued in the course of the argument.

Mr. Hardesty was taken to task by Mr. Shinn for referring to the defendant as an "extraordinary criminal," when Mr. Hardesty modified his remarks by saying that if Lockwood was convicted he would be an extraordinary criminal.

NOTICE OF HABEAS CORPUS.

The attorneys for the defense then promptly issued a notice to the District Attorney, which after setting forth that the defendant has been held to answer, proceeds to state that he "will sue out and present to the Superior Court a writ of habeas corpus for his discharge, and the same will be done as soon as the defendant's attorneys can prepare the necessary papers. You are therefore requested not to file an information against said defendant upon said charge until such time, not exceeding ten days, as defendant can procure the issuance and hearing of said writ. C. C. Stephens, and Shinn & Ling, attorneys for defendant."

INFORMATION FILED.

Before this was received, however, Mr. Hardesty went before Judge McKinley and filed an information against Mr. Lockwood.

In the course of the afternoon the bail bond was renewed. Messrs. L. A. W. Lockwood, the defendant's father, for \$1500, and Henry J. A. Stur for \$500.

WILL BE ARRAIGNED TOMORROW.

Lockwood will be arraigned before Judge McKinley tomorrow, and an effort made to have the case set as soon as possible for trial. The object of this is to have the matter settled as soon as possible, for the reason that as Lockwood refuses to resign, notwithstanding the overwhelming public sentiment that he should at once do so, it is the desire of the District Attorney's office to save the community from the scandal of a magistrate performing the functions of his office, while he himself is awaiting trial on a charge that amounts to a felony.

MAWKISH SENTIMENT.

During the past day or two there appears to have been an organized effort in certain quarters to manufacture sentiment in favor of Damron, Lockwood and other parties implicated in the affair, and even officers of the law have been heard declaring the fact that Damron had been captured, and that Lockwood had been arrested. As against this comparatively small faction, the great body of the people are of one opinion. It was said yesterday afternoon that the Council would probably pass similar resolutions to those adopted by the Board of Supervisors, and that the Union League also contemplated taking similar action in the premises.

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NO HOPE FOR UGLY GIRLS.

No Bad Forms and Bony Legs Bobbing Around.

MISS PAULINE HALL'S DICTUM.

She Says That Men May Sometimes Pad-Reminiscences of a First Appearance in Tights—Cosmetics.

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NEW YORK, July 25.—[Special Correspondence.] How to become a prima donna, how to keep the voice fresh, do comic opera singers pad when wearing tights, and what should be done to retain a healthy, beautiful complexion, are questions often asked me by those who are dazzled by the illusions of the stage as seen in front of the footlights. Some eight years ago I was a chorus girl wearing tights, dressing half a dozen times in one evening and proudly earning my small weekly stipend, which enabled me to live a frugal, Spartan-like existence. It was an experience that I do not regret, because it taught me patience, wedded me to perseverance and divorced me from the fatal ambition of wishing to become a full-fledged prima donna at one sad amateur bound. So many begin on top and descend, not having mastered the auxiliary requirements necessary for permanent success. I have often thought of Pope's lines, "Honor and fame from no condition rise; act well your part, there all the the honor lies."



When acting some minor part these lines have inspired me to do my best. My ambition was never vaulting, and so I avoided the humiliation of egregious failure. To be an agriculturalist, I never aspired when I felt too green to be suitable to the taste of a cultivated audience. Never understanding the meaning of the words "act well your part," I never played a heavy role in the opera. In my dressing-room, when others were singing on the stage, I caught the music of their parts and could sing it as well as my own.

How to begin, how to work up from the chorus in the question. I can only say, be energetic, have faith in yourself, and be more or less favored by Nature with a good voice, a fine shape and the requisite talent. I never studied in Europe, and on the whole I am contented that I never had the desire or opportunity. Where are the comic opera prima donnas who studied for years in Europe? None of them have met with great success, but just the contrary. If I did not wish to be personal I could mention half a dozen young ladies who graduated in Europe at the great conservatories, came here and without any apparent effort made lamentable failures. Perhaps if they had begun in the chorus and gradually worked up the result would have been different.

To succeed in comic opera requires more talent than a sweet voice. In fact, a prima donna in comic opera should be fine looking, shapely, be able to act, have a certain chic, and of course, know how to sing. I want to say something about the selection of comic opera company. Indeed, I intend to make an innovation which will give the public an agreeable surprise. Instead of surrounding myself with a lot of cheap and homely chorus girls, I will select them with an eye to their beauty of face and shapeliness of legs. It is a mistake to suppose that chorus girls are never looked at, but simply heard. They are the cynosure of every male eye in the audience, and many ladies like to gaze upon pretty chorus girls. Recently I engaged a number of chorus girls. I had them put on tights and present themselves for inspection, and whenever their legs were out of proportion or bony I refused to employ them. I do not intend to have nondescript legs bobbing around on the stage in my company.



A girl with bow legs need not apply, for she would certainly hoodoo every performance. Then there is the lean shank girl, who is nimble on her feet and oftentimes has a good-looking face, who is debarred. It is a study to gaze at the nether limbs of girls who apply for a place in the chorus. Some have big knees that bulge out and murder the symmetry of the legs, while others are handicapped with fearfully big feet. Then others have all calves and no hips, and vice versa. Of course I do not expect to find a Venus de Milo in every girl that ap-

plies, but I do hope to find a certain pulchritudine charm that will merit the stage and delight the audience. I shall also examine the complexion of my chorus girls, because so many of them have complexions that all the paint in the world could not beautify.



One more point in the selection of my ideal opera company. I have selected the second lady for beauty and voice, although some one said it was unwise to have a rival on the stage to attract and share the applause. Now that is just what I want. If my leading lady draws it will please and not make me jealous. The more attractions in my company the happier I will be because my treasury will be the richer.

About tights! Tights have a mysterious significance, a halo of poetical romance about them to the layman, but to the professional they convey nothing not associated with stern reality and hard work. Imagine the confusion, the undressed feeling that surges through the bosom of the young debutante as she emerges from the shadowy flies into the full glare of the footlights. Every eye is focused upon her and she imagines the criticism that greets her appearance. But if she has to sing and act, the peculiar feeling wears off the artist asserts herself. No woman on the comic opera stage is fond of wearing tights. I know I had rather enact roles that do not require tights. The rustic of the skirt is familiar to women, and their legs have been used to heavy covering; so, naturally, thin tights, or heavy tights for that matter, are foreign to and incompatible with the daily custom of women. One touch of nature makes the whole world kin, and when dress is in question women folk are in close affinity. Women on the stage have the same feelings, the same impulses, hopes and longings as their non-professional sisters. But we have often to sacrifice our feelings for art, and as sacrifices have to be made, I can see myself now standing for the first time in the glare of the footlights and hear the buzz of voices that greet me. My desire was to retreat and discard my suit of clothes, but the music kept me on the stage, and somehow I got bravely through.

Padding the legs! I have never had to pad when wearing tights. The public is skeptical and thinks a majority of women with shapely figures on the stage owe it to art and nothing to Nature. It has never been my misfortune to have to try and improve upon Nature, but I have seen the more or less successful efforts of others in that direction. Young women on the stage pad, but not as much as might be supposed. Any one in the audience with critical discernment can tell when a woman on the stage wearing tights is padded. If she has her legs padded her arms are, of course, out of proportion, and frequently her bust is so small that a man with half an eye can see the misfit. The old days of sawdust padding existed long before my appearance upon the stage.

Padding is as near a fine art as possible, but it can never simulate the beauty and symmetry of Nature nor appeal to the esthetic eye of the trained connoisseur. I knew a young lady who was rather thin but symmetrical, who conceived the idea of padding. The result was she appeared ungainly, and the disparity between the size of her legs and her arms was so great it almost provoked laughter. Judicious advice was given to her, and she gradually reduced her size. One day she discarded her padded tights altogether, and the result was she looked one hundred times better and was much admired.

Occasionally there is some excuse for a little padding. If a leg is not shapely on account of a shrunken calf a few layers of lamb's wool will remedy the defect. The outside tights are over utility tights, and carefully padded on the inside of the latter is the lamb's wool that gives shape and beauty to many an otherwise ungainly-looking leg. By carefully padding the inside tights legs can be made larger all over, but they betray the possessor by the lack of proportion to the other limbs. Few women appear in one pair of tights, because an accident, a sudden rent would expose the flesh to the audience. But the under tights are not worn especially for that reason. They help to keep the wearer warm and prevent the outside tights from getting soiled by perspiration.

I desire to protest against the criticism directed against the women who appear in tights, because I think, with all their alleged vanity, men are more vain and pad themselves more ludicrously. Not long ago I was surprised and amused to see an actor's arms padded until they looked like those of Ajax defying lightning. Of course his neck and body were too small to match such large arms and he looked ridiculous. Men on the stage are careful about having the calves of their legs bulge out sufficiently, and I presume if various veins were popular, few actors would be without them. There are many exceptions to the rule. Comedians who have made reputations do not care to pad to any extent unless some glaring personal defect exists. We have short-legged, thin-shanked, short and obese, tall and stout and emaciated comedians who rather like the peculiarities of their ungainly anatomy. The comedian is fond of applause, and is not eaten up with vanity about his looks. Whenever a comedian prides himself

upon looking like an Adonis, as a rule he is not much of a success. Tenors are apt to be either too thin or too stout, and have romantic dispositions. Often they call in the aid of art and try to do something to assist Nature. I know a tenor now singing in England, who had a pug nose. Indeed his nose looked as if it had been thrown upon his face and only the nostril end stuck. He had a regular swayback nose, and in singing romantic parts of course the illusion was destroyed by his realistic proboscis. One day he hit upon the happy plan of building a bridge, making his nose a perfect aquiline. It worked like a charm and made him appear very handsome. One fatal night the comedian got to skylarking and interpolating, and dashed water on the tenor's nose. The bridge on his nose was swept away, and the audience roared with delight. They thought it a part of the opera, but the tenor wanted to fight the comedian. Now, I think the tenor was justified in making a perfect nose, because his face in its natural state would have destroyed the romantic character he essayed.

What can equal the vanity of a man who wears corsets? I am told that some few men have been known to wear corsets in order to give shape to their bodies. These men I am happy to say, were not professionals. Men on the stage wear many varieties of dress and costumes themselves regardless of cost, but I've never heard of one who had the temerity to appear on the boards wearing a corset. And talk about shape and malformation! Why, very few men have perfect physical proportions. The Apollo Belvedere are so scarce that when a really handsome actor, fine physique and all that, appears, he becomes the rage whether he has much talent or not. Personal beauty, therefore, cannot be scoffed at either in male or female. And what pessimist or dyspeptic critic can object to a few layers of lamb's wool if it is intended to create proportion and charm the eye? I do not wish to convey the impression that my associates of the stage are more vain than those who are in private life. We have to appear to the eye, the ear and the mind of our audience, and certainly some excuse should be made if an artist in his or her anxiety to please should invoke the aid of the professional padder. Yes, there are professional padders, and they, of course, are costumers.



The ethics of tights is a question that occupies the attention of people off the stage more than those who are forced to wear abbreviated habiliments. If the people who are eager to understand would be as generous as Hamlet when he said: "There is nothing good or bad but thinking makes it so," they would find little to take offense at in the sight of a pair of tights. An artist who has her head and heart in her work is not trying to create an effect with her tights alone, for her sole idea is to portray truthfully the character she may be essaying. The characters in the opera are imaginary, and the artist is trying her best to make the fables and legends of human nature. Anything can be carried to a harmful excess. One can eat too much and suffer from it. A young lady can go to a ball and dance too much for her health. And even shows that make a specialty of displaying tights and nothing else are, I confess, anything but elevating. In grand opera the ballet is considered an attraction and adds beauty, and frequently many more dollars to the box office.

An artist is not demoralized by wearing tights, and an audience can now be demoralized by seeing an artist in tights. I have often been asked about complexion and cosmetic. The best way to get a rosy, healthy complexion is to take proper exercise. I walk several miles a day and ride in the evening on my bicycle. And by the by, bicycle riding is becoming more popular among the ladies, for I meet many in my rides in the park. I never use patent cosmetics and advertised creams, and I am vain enough to fancy that my complexion has not suffered from the omission. Bad skin or blotches on the face come from the stomach, and seas of patent creams would not take them away. I see a great many suffering from stomach blotches, and the more they try cosmetics the more hideous they look. Be moderate in eating, indulge in no excesses, sleep enough, do not fret, have faith in yourself, love your profession, and if success in life does not crown your efforts, then consider that you were born under an unlucky star and try to be happy anyway.

PAULINE HALL.

Dying July.
How smiles the illimitable sky! How break the clouds on the hills and
The far mountain tops, on the wide seas, and
The sweet-scented plains, the golden tides of
Light. Birds sing, and breezes laugh in rippling
Wantonness, and the leaf-tongued trees
Melodious whispers to the air. Day
Is full of song, and soul, and beauty. The
Bright stars lean eastward, and lay their soft
Blue
Like a lover's hand upon the mountains' crest,
Where the tall pine stands sentinel,
And the flowers breathe soft
Fragrance, but with breasts holding the
Light of centuries. The flowers breathe soft,
But their petals stir as if warm hearts be-
neath.
They thrubbed in tenderest pulsations. How
Soft the air! How full of balms! How sap-
phire.
Byed the day! How rich the overland of
Trees upon its breast. No torrid sun to
Torture it. No lightning forces to rend its
Calm repose. No belching thunders to break
The fragrant silence. Earth smiles, and like
Vestal virgin on her bier, all veiled in
Beauty dreads July within our tropic clime.
ELIZA A. OTIS.
July 11, 1890.

RELIGION IN HIS POCKET.

A Creed That Could Be Laid Aside and Forgotten.

TOBE GREAR ALWAYS WHUPPED

His Brother-in-law—A Cow That Carried a "Billy"—How Old Bill Morgan Got His Revenge at Last.

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Tobe Grear had whipped every man in Poinsett county. To some men fighting may be only a recreation, but to Tobe it was a necessity. Once he awoke at midnight, and unable to go to sleep again, lay tossing and groaning. "Whut's the matter, Tobe?" his wife asked.

"Oh, I dunno; I am all outed sorta."
"Don't you think it's becaze you ain't whupped nobody lately?"
"Yas, that's the very reason."

"Wall, git up an' whup yo' brother-in-law, an' then go to sleep."

He got up, whupped his brother-in-law, and then slept like a sycamore log.

Tobe had whupped old Bill Morgan once every week for the past ten years. Bill, extremely elastic in disposition, did not lose hope; he took boxing lessons of the new circuit rider; and then, with great confidence, invited Tobe to whip him. Tobe did so; and then Bill mounted his gray mare, rode over to the Mt. Zion meeting-house and "whaled" the circuit rider for teaching boxing under false pretenses.

One night, during a heated revival in July, Tobe was stricken with conviction, and, yielding to the entreaties of his wife, went up to the mourners' bench and placed his repentant head on the white oak slab. He poured forth a stream of lamentations—declared after the manner of a great apostle that he had been a chief among sinners, and vowed that if the Lord would exercise His merciful pardoning power, he would every year contribute a sheep to the religious barbecue and would refrain from fighting to the best of his ability. Suddenly he sprang to his feet and declared that his sins had been wiped out with a tender hand, that he was prepared to meet his friends that had gone before, and that any man in the congregation might enjoy the privilege of calling him a horse-thief without incurring the danger of being thumped.

Old Bill Morgan was particularly delighted with the conversion, and after shaking hands with Tobe, turned to a friend and remarked: "I have got him on the hip now, an' I'll bet you a bull-tongue plow an' a set of rope gear that I whup him beto' the week's out."

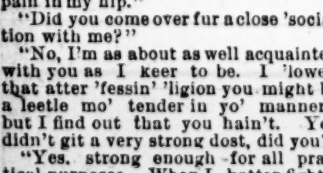
Tobe wrote out a confession of faith on a piece of paper bag, and carried it in his hip pocket. At night when he would wake and find that he must whip some one or toss sleeplessly on his wheat straw bed, he would reach over, grab his confession out of his pocket, read it over, take a chew of long green tobacco, and then worry along as best he could. One evening while he was milking a blue-looking cow that wore a mischievous wink, old Bill came up to the fence.

"Brother Tobe," said he, "I think the time for me to whup you have come."

"Do you reckon it have?" Tobe replied, turning loose the blue cow's milk nozzle and wiping a drop of pale milk from his horny hand.

"Yas, I low so."

"All right," Tobe responded, and, taking the confession of faith from his pocket, he put it on top of the fence, placed a stone upon it and said: "Faith in things that have been an air yit to come, rest thar till I mail this sinner."



He climbed over the fence and a few moments later Bill, with a stitch in his side and a sciatic disturbance of the hip, limped toward his humble dwelling. The next evening when Tobe was again eking a few drops of milk from the blue cow, Bill came up to the fence and said: "Pear to be enjoyin' yo'self putty well?"
"Yas, reasonable so. Have you got well?"
"Not exactly—still got a shootin' pain in my hip."
"Did you come over fur a close 'sociation with me?"
"No, I'm as about as well acquainted with you as I keer to be. I lowed that after 'fessin' religion you might be a leetle mo' tender in yo' manners, but I find out that you hain't. You didn't git a very strong dose, did you?"
"Yas, strong enough for ad practical purposes. When I hatter fight a man I just lay my faith aside. That's the reason I writ it out on paper."
"Wall, some day I mout meet you when you kaint get it outen yo' pocket in time an' whup you like puttin' out a fire."
"That mout be, but I'm powerful quick. A man that kaint make his religion handy oughtneter have none. When a person finds that his religion is sorter crowdin' him, w'y he's mighty apt to turn it loose."
"Yas, I reckon that's so. I got three or fo' sorta befo' I found one that fit me right well. I tried one sort over on Terrapin Hill an' several down in the swamps, an' none of 'em stuck till I got a holt of the sort that they showed out down at Bugg's meetin'-house. I reckon I'm all right now."
"Think you've got enough to last you, eh?"
"Yas, I think so. My wife sometimes thinks I'm a leetle sorter shakely, an' holds her love off from me at a

putty cold degree, but I go out an' git her a mess of turnip greens along with some co'n bread, so hard that you could hit a bound in the side with it and make him howl fur a week or so, an' that smooths her down might'y. What did you git that ar cow?"
"Bought her from old man Beers."



"Putty good cow, is she?"
"Yas, she do putty well. Sometimes she don't want to let down her milk, but I git a fencerall an' punch her in the side till she turns it loose all right."

"Do you allus milk?"
"Yas, I do the milkin' all the time."
"An' you never do let yo' wife milk none?"

"Never a tall. Thar air some cows that wimin folks kin milk, an' agin thar air others that they kaint tech. You've got ter skeer a cow when you wanten git right good milk. Et you don't skeer 'em they let down the poorest milk they've got. I'm a great milker, me. I just naturally skeer a cow into cream. I bought a cow from a feller wunst that didn't give nuthin' but what they call blue John. I argued with her a while, but she kep' on givin' blue John. I got tired one day an' lammed her a time or two with a rail an' then you oughter seed the milk. It wain't nothin' but cream."

"Do this here cow allus switch her tail thiser way?" Old Bill asked after a moment's silence.

"Oh, yes, specially in fly time."
"Don't it hurt you when she hits you in the face?"
"No, fur I am so uster it."

"Wall, I must go now. Good-by. Whenever I think I kin whup you I'll come over agin."

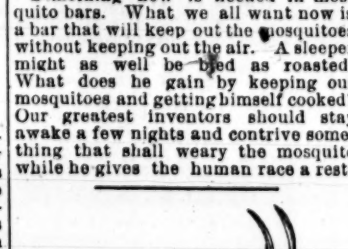
"Do ef you please, an' you'll allus find me handy at grabbin' my confession of faith."



gan to toss her head, he reminded her of the fact that he had often beaten her from a disposition of skimmed milk into a willingness to give cream; but when he set down on his one-legged stool to strip the milk from her reluctant udder, she struck him on the head with her tail and laid him out. Old Bill Morgan dropped down behind a neighboring log and roared with laughter. That morning he had caught the cow in the woods, and in an ingenious manner had fixed a chunk of lead in the bunch of hair at the end of her tail.

Consistency.
[Rochester Post-Express.]
Hamden Sewall: Doc, I wish you'd step down to the house to see my wife.
Physician: What seems to be the matter?
Hamden Sewall: Oh, she's been working like a horse for two or three days, and is all worn out.
Physician: Why don't you see a veterinary surgeon?

Air In and Mosquitoes Out.
[Courier-Journal.]
Something new is needed in mosquito bars. What we all want now is a bar that will keep out the mosquitoes without keeping out the air. A sleeper might as well be bed as roasted. What does he gain by keeping out mosquitoes and getting himself cooked? Our greatest inventors should stay awake a few nights and contrive something that shall weary the mosquito while he gives the human race a rest.



Have you seen that thing of beauty Johnnie's goat, so bold, Who's just down from the city Back to his home of old? It's spotted black and white And twice as big as he wears Ready for a buttin' fight When such desire he has.
It's a dandy that he is With that bold proud look of his. You can tell he's smart by looking at his "phiz." And the neighbors round about When you pass they'll say you shout "Have you seen it?" What? Why Johnnie's billy goat.

That goat so proud and haughty A rig is made to draw, And though he may seem naughty He's a goat's without a law. He'll pace or trot or gallop And up the avenue fly. But if you try to make him stop He'll butt you up sky-high.

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"I had not thought of that," said Pat with a disappointed air; and then,



Ab, such a gay little cavalier as I met the other morning, barefooted though he was, and his old hat had lost its rim. But was he not astride of his bronco, with a long, long ride before him, and was not the day bright, and did not his bronco's hoofs stir up a mighty dust, which wrapped him



about and showed to the world what a rapid pace he was making. His face was sunbrowned, and his eyes and hair were as black as starless night, but his heart was light as the morning, and away he dashed with happy shout and laughter as if the unshadowed world were all before him without a cloud of care.

It was a queer-looking newly-wedded pair that I met as I was out slowly sauntering along not long since. His face was black as ebony, and his hair was kinked as closely as Nature could twist it. He had on a high-standing collar and white necktie and swallow-tail coat, and his huge black hands were encased in a pair of coarse white cotton gloves. She was fairer, with a perceptible strain of white blood in her veins. She wore a white dress of some soft stuff, a bonnet of pink and white, and she carried a flaming red parasol. But hand in hand they walked adown the country ways, just from the little



church where they had been wedded. The old, old story was as sweet to them as to us, and the day as fair, the world as bright. And when I saw him at a little distance away, half screened by the drooping branches of the pepper tree, throw his arm about her, and, drawing her closer to him, leave a kiss upon her lips, I thought, the human heart beats ever the same whether in the breast of white or black, and there is nothing so beautiful and holy as the love which from all the world chooses just one to glorify and bless with its tenderness.

I saw some little urchins playing "pigback" a few days ago. Hatless, a little ragged, and barefooted were they; but they were happier than the king upon his throne. Their rich, gurgling laughter reached my ears a half a block away.
"Play you are a bucking bronco," said the rider at length, and the way that imaginary bronco threw up his shoulders and his heels was equal to a whole circus ring, till finally they both



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ENGLISH LAWN PARTY.

What the Guests There Do and Wear.

OUR ELLEN OSBORN'S LETTER.

British Women Out of Doors—Muslin Gowns, Elbowing Sealskins—Trying to Be Happy in Spite of the Rain.

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DEEPFEND, July 22.—[Special Correspondence.] An English garden party is, in some things, very like and in others quite unlike its American namesake. It is apt to be a more formal function. The hour of assembling is much the same, about 4 in the afternoon. The house, if it be modern, as most houses even in old England are, is probably of light stone, square, and higher than the old types, often plain, even to the point of severity, in its external features; less pleasing to the eye than the rose-bordered or ivy-grown cottages. To one side is a group of fine old



trees, disposed as English gardeners have the trick of arranging or leaving them. Curving up to the entrance, not encroaching on the generous bit of turf just in front, is the carriage drive, that winds in and out among the thickest hawthorn shrubs and the holly, under overhanging oaks and chestnuts, part rocks crusted with lichens and overgrown with vines, crossing a beck by a low arched stone bridge, circling a knoll from the gray stone gate lodge a quarter of a mile, half a mile, or perhaps even a mile away. An English gentleman can content himself with a small house and a very little bit of land, but he certainly doesn't like to do so.

As the victorias and the smart little carts turn into the grounds the lodge keeper's wife, with her hair brushed till it shines and her dress spic and span, throws open the gates and smiles the broadest of welcomes, while, perhaps, her sturdy, peony-cheeked archer ranch up to thrust a branch of yellow asclepias into the lantern boxes, or a bunch of roses or daisies into the horse's harnesses until the carriages look as if on route to a flower show. Some of the traps have been sent by the hostess to the nearest railway station, and have brought such is the degeneracy of old customs in this age of steam—a guest or two running up from town and ladies of the country families who have not taken out their own horses. At the front entrance there is a bustle of alighting among the purple flowering rhododendrons that grow about the door, and that as late as midsummer are still in full blossom.

The hostess receives indoors, and the broad hall and the drawing-rooms that in the older houses open from it, but in the newer ones are on the second floor, are full of flowers, daisies and foxgloves bordering the stairway and garlanding the pictures, and the whole of the dado in the old oak reception-rooms being edged with roses and rhododendrons. The fireplaces are filled in with foliage. Sometimes the guests pass directly from the hall, which the man who hunts hangs with sporting trophies from all parts of the world to the lawn, which in "fine" weather—meaning on a day when there is a good proportion of sun to the showers—is the center of attraction. If there is a large muster and the affair is intended to be very "smart," a raised platform covered with green baize will be put up somewhere in the garden, for dancing on the turf, while very charming in theory, is not so pleasant in practice, especially on English turf that seldom is really dry.



Dancing is not invariably, even at large parties, tennis being a strong rival. A band of Alpine singers in picturesque costumes wanders about, or there may be a gypsy fortune teller. Little umbrellas are dotted here and there, decorated perhaps with red and white roses, and in the prettiest part of the grounds a large marquee may be erected for tea, ices, berries and cream, frozen coffee, lemon-squash, claret-cup and the numberless other things on which people at afternoon entertainments feed. Some English hostesses have a table with soda and seltzer syphons, lemons, glass lemon-squeezers, powdered sugar, jugs of milk, tumblers, spoons, etc., where people may mix beverages to their own liking.

The frocks depend a good deal on the day, and are very much mixed, as toilets always are in any English assemblage, one girl wearing book muslin and the next one a heavy cashmere or poplin. The younger women appear in broad-brimmed hats all flowers or fancy straws of lace-like appearance. Mauve with rose pink, pale blue and cream

are the colors most affected, and every third woman has over her shoulders a large, soft-looking fish with a frilled edge, in black, white or some delicate shade. A girl who has been herself at tennis ties a wide muslin scarf loosely about her neck, with an enormous bow in front and long ends that hang down.

Some of the women carry walking-sticks, and these are tall, crooked and with elaborate heads that are very conspicuous, of carved ivory, painted china or cherry wood. These, it may be said, for the instruction of an occasional American, are indulged in only in the country; if used in town it is assumed that one is lame.

Here is a girl who is just out and who is finding the function, as compared with the free runs over the hills and moors of her boyhood period, exceedingly tame. She wears a pretty muslin printed with a curious pattern of daisies, and her hat is made of rushes. A large bunch of cornflowers is tied on it with pieces of gardeners' netting. A sister a couple of years older has that very high-chested, square-shouldered and long, stiff-slimed figure which I remember struck me with such an odd sense of familiarity when I saw it for the first time some years ago on the streets of London. Had I not always known it?

But Maurier's drawings, and here it was actually alive. It has in it all an English woman's conservatism, sufficiency, pride of peace, social honor, long-rooted possessions, country influence, strict conformity. It is Burke's Peasage illustrated, homely, honest, but it is not beautiful. It is clothed upon with alight red froul, spotted with white which gives it an odd and somewhat characteristically English appearance of severe gaiety. The full bodice, with its deep-pointed collar edged with a band of dark red velvet, carries out the notion of festivity, while the close folds of the compact skirt are neat, precise and devoted to church and the constitution. The bonnet is small, black and trimmed with cherries.

A fresh-looking girl with blonde Saxon coloring, who seems to have the faculty of enjoying herself, is here, there and everywhere in a pink printed muslin on a spotted ground, her big bouquet of honeysuckle flowers asserting itself by its fragrance in every part of the grounds. One fair damsel is very much to the fore in parasol, bonnet and dress of the exact shade of a canary's plumage. About her neck is a yellow ostrich-feather boa, and her hat is yellow straw with heavy yellow plumes. A most magnificent blower, to whom folks seem to be paying a good deal of attention, is in one of the gorgeously gowns, a sapphire-blue brocade, with a design of birds in it in gold, that set on edge, at least when worn by dowagers, the teeth of the esthetic people. She sits at the edge of one of the umbrellas tents, and space would fail to tell how often somebody fetches her a cup of tea.



There is a greater number of men than there would be at a similar fête in America. They are broad-shouldered, good-looking young fellows, who play tennis with a deal of energy and drink shandy gaff with the same zeal in the intervals. Those who do not play lounge with an ease and grace that is born only of practice, and follow devotedly on the footsteps of a girl who drives up in her own trap at 5 o'clock, done up in a long cloak of gold-colored surah, with neck ruffles of black lace and long ends of black watered ribbon. This energetic young person is tall and breezy, and when she throws down her wrap for one of her cavaliers to pick up and hang on his arm she appears in a rich blue-gray cloth embroidered in silver, with a Panama hat, about which is a scarf of white nun's veiling that flutters in the wind and marks her progress as she moves from point to point, discoursing of boat and dogs and attended by an adoring train.

In due course of time there is an adulatory sprinkle and then comes the "pell." There is an immediate appearance of thick household wraps and long tartan capes in reds and grays. Everybody scrambles for the house and the muslin frocks look cold and the happy people are the rosy English girls who are never out of temper and who are sure the sun will soon be out again. They make a pretty picture in their freshness and simplicity, grouped in a great window bay, in their blue delaine gowns printed with white cornflowers, or their pinkish froulards, not chattering with the vivacity of American damsels, but rather quiet, reserved, almost shy. The daintiest of them is a cream-flowered print, and she has not yet laid aside her little bonnet with its wreath of heather. They wear little jewelry, and not one of them has had her ears pierced for earrings. The hostess flutters about in black and gold striped silk, with jet ornaments, perturbed by the rain, but making people comfortable. And if the shower becomes a storm? Well, there are several sed-coupons. But the chances are they'll clear and the scent of clover is in the air, and the box borders in the parterres are fragrant, and the young women and the older women do themselves up in fur capes and jackets—one seldom puts away one's fur for more than a few days at a time in England—and the lodge keeper opens the gates and everybody drives away in the late afternoon that is at once so beautiful and this summer so chill. ELLEN OSBORN.

UNWHOLESOME DRINKS.

Public Supervision in Europe Over Drinks Sold to the People.
[Chicago Herald.]

In this class are included nearly all the so-called temperance beverages, such as the pop and soda water sold in small bottles. Viler substances than these have rarely ever been prepared for the purpose for which they are used. That they do not kill most of the people who imbibe them can only be accounted for by the fact that the great majority who drink them are young and have stomachs capable of

resisting injuries. Chemists who know how they are prepared and what ingredients enter into their composition have always condemned them. So have well-known physicians of all schools. Prohibitionists have accomplished some good in showing what substances are employed to adulterate wines and liquors. They could accomplish still more good if they would make the public against the contents of the bottles.

Beer that is sold to dealers for \$4 per barrel is probably an unwholesome drink. It cannot be made of pure barley malt and hops, cheap as these things now are, and sold at that price. In the majority of cases it is chiefly made from glucose and drugs that are much cheaper than hops. It is improperly called beer. It is at best only an imitation of the substance brewed from barley malt and hops and known as beer. It is not properly fermented, and is destitute of keeping qualities. A keg of it can remain "on tap" but a few hours without being ruined. It is deficient in the qualities known as strength and ripeness. It is made of a variety of substances selected for their cheapness, and is disposed of almost as soon as it is made. Except in appearance it has little resemblance to the beer that for centuries has been regarded as a wholesome beverage.

The government of most European countries exercises a supervision over the beverages that are publicly sold. As it derives a large revenue from their manufacture and sale it considers that it is in duty bound to see that the public is not imposed upon or that the beverages offered for sale are not injurious to health. In Bavaria nothing can be sold for beer that is not made entirely from water, hops and barley malt. In Prussia all the breweries as well as the material they employ and the products they turn out are under government inspection. In England adulterated and imitation liquors can be sold, but customers are informed by conspicuous signs on shops of the character of the goods sold in them. Only in this "land of the free" do persons have full license to sell drinks that are known to be unwholesome and injurious to health.

THE PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

He Really Receives the Equivalent of \$132,500 Annually.

"Taking one consideration with another," the lot of the President of the United States is not an entirely unhappy one, so far as his domestic arrangements are concerned, says a Washington correspondent of the New York Star. He has no occasion to bother himself much about market bills, or rents, or servants, or gas or plumbers' bills. With ordinary prudence he can manage to pull through on the allowance made by Congress without involving himself in debt, as Jefferson and some of the earlier Presidents are said to have done. The occupancy of the executive mansion.

A glance through the pending Sunday Civil Bill, supplemented by the regular Legislative and Executive Appropriation Bill, discloses that Mr. Harrison is likely to be able to do as much as he likes in the coming fiscal year. As a starter, he has his salary of \$50,000.

There is a further sum of \$25,000 allowed him to spend as he sees fit, in repairing his rooms and making his domestic apartments comfortable in the matter of furniture.

Sixteen thousand dollars, or thereabouts, is set aside to pay for his gas and electric lights.

Three thousand dollars is allowed him for coal.

To keep his greenhouse in order so as to furnish him with button-hole bouquets and flowers to present to his friends, \$7000 is appropriated.

A thousand dollars is allowed him for his front garden and \$5000 for his back garden.

If his kitchen pipes should happen to burst in the winter there is a \$2500 plumbers' bill for him to draw upon. He has no servants to provide except a cook and scullions and chambermaid.

Congress furnishes him with stewards and everything else in the servant line at a cost of about fifteen thousand dollars.

He has not even to provide matches.

The appropriation for fuel and lights distinctly specifies that it shall include matches. He has to buy his own butcher's meat and groceries and wine, however, when he gives a dinner party. Pretty well all else is given him.

Let there should be something overlooked, a contingent fund of \$8000, which he is at liberty to spend as he thinks proper, rendering no account to anybody, is added as a cushion.

With good habits, physical and mental, a determination to keep cool with only a light supper, may resort to the use of a towel wet with tepid water and covered with a dry cloth, the whole then applied to the pit of the stomach. Before the sufferer knows it he will be in the land of nod.

The sympathy between the organs of digestion and the brain.

Owing to the position of the stomach a light sleeper ought to sleep on the right side instead of the left, never on the back. If there is a tendency to cold feet a thin woolen blanket may line the lower third of the bed. The limbs ought not to be greatly flexed, a position which prevents free circulation, and they should rest upon one another lightly.

The night light, where used, ought to be a tiny taper and not gas or kerosene, both of which devitalize the air. A darkened room is best. Nature puts out her light and draws the curtain of darkness for a purpose.

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A FIRD FOR YOUNG MEN.

Thomas C. Platt Urges Them to Go Into Politics.

DUTY TO THEIR COUNTRY.

The Machine Voters in New York City—Sluggish Republicans—The Young Man Movement.

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Every young man should take an interest in politics. He should make a study of economic questions and familiarize himself with the principles that underlie the two great political parties. It is a duty he owes to himself and to his country. Under our republican form of Government the officeholders are merely the servants of the people. But if the people neglect their duty what can we expect from their servants? Does it not follow that a failure on the part of the sovereign people to watch and guard their interests will result in deteriorating the public service? No successful business man would think of intrusting his business to his employees. The moment he adopted such a policy he would cease to be a success.



The ordinary principles of business should be applied to politics. All the evils growing out of our political system can be traced to a failure on the part of the people to do their duty. There would have been no Tweed ring but for the dishonest and unclean man, indifference and neglect of the intelligent voters. To the same indifference we are indebted for the present domination of Tammany in this city.

New York city contains a large mass of machine voters—men who have neither the independence nor the inclination to favor a clean, honest government. They follow the Tammany organization blindly whether it listeth, and never ask any questions. I seriously doubt if Tammany should nominate the present Mayor whether there would be any material diminution of this machine vote. Certain it is that there would be no cutting of the candidate among the rank and file on moral grounds. The supremacy of Tammany in this city and State can but be regarded as a national disgrace. There has never been a time in the history of the metropolis when it was not possible for the united elements of opposition to carry this city. They now have it in their power to demolish and overthrow the corrupt Tammany ring.

Past experience has shown, however, that a large percentage of the conservative people do not interest themselves in the practical business of politics as they ought. Perhaps the very men who complain the loudest against the domination of Tammany and corruption in high places do not exercise the election franchise more than half the time, and rarely if ever attend a primary. Take, for instance, the example of the Twenty-first assembly district, which is in some respects the representative Republican district in this city, out of the three or four thousand Republican voters who are registered in that district, not more than twelve hundred have taken the trouble to identify themselves with the Republican organization. In other words the work of selecting party leaders and nominating candidates is left to a very small minority of the party. I have no patience with the stay at home boys who rail at the selection of unfit men, but do nothing to better the evil.

The importance of a young man commencing early to take an active part in politics is obvious. Men are largely creatures of habit. Let the habit once be formed of ignoring their political duty, and the chances are that they will stick to it for the rest of their lives. On the other hand, the start right by identifying themselves with some political organization they will become good and useful citizens.

My advice to all young men is, take up the study of politics as early as possible and familiarize yourself with the important public questions. Do not stop there. Make up your mind to which party your convictions lead you and then do all you can to strengthen the hands of that organization. I should not advise any man to join the Democratic or Republican parties simply because he had been reared in that particular faith. Let him decide the question of his political manhood for himself. Traditions are all very well, but every man is surer of himself who makes his own independent investigation and forms his own opinions.

Naturally, as a Republican from conviction, I believe that a careful study of the political conditions of the day by an intelligent man will lead him directly into the ranks of the Republican party; but I recognize the right of every man to honestly differ of political as well as other questions. In short, I do not hesitate to say that an honest and sincere Democrat from conviction, who labors in his party vineyard, is a better citizen and a greater credit to the country than the wearisome individual who finds politics a bore and never has time to attend primaries or perform any of the other solemn political obligations of citizenship.

If a law could be passed compelling every one to give a part of his time to the consideration of political matters, or at least to exercise his privilege of franchise, we should have a better and more efficient government of our local affairs, as well as in the State and Nation.

The young men are the main reliance of the country. Upon their shoulders rests the responsibility for the maintenance of our republican form of government. About the strongest argument that can be advanced in a candidate's favor before a political convention is that he is popular with the young men. Just why this is so is not difficult of solution. The young men are more active and enterprising than the old stagers. The saying: "Young men for action, old men

for counsel," is true in politics, but no party can hope to succeed in the future without the support of the young men.

The young man (and when I say young I do not mean necessarily a youth just emerging from his teens, but men in the prime of life) will continue to occupy a prominent place in our politics. The tendency will be to increase its importance rather than diminish it. This element will probably decide the next Presidential contest.

During the last few years there has been a gratifying indication that the young men of the country are beginning to appreciate their political responsibilities and importance more keenly. The formation of young men's clubs in both parties all over the country is a very healthy sign. These clubs should be increased in number and their membership doubled. Every man under the age of 50 should become personally identified with a political organization. The study of politics is the most neglected branch of a young American's education. I hope to see the time when it will be the exception to find a young man who does not take an active interest in the political affairs of the country. When that time comes we shall have less scandals in public office, and a better and cleaner administration of the Government in all its branches, from the top to the bottom.

It is an excellent time for the young men of the country to organize and equip themselves for the next great political battle. It promises to be as exciting and as hotly contested as any in the history of the country. The party that can command the support of the live men will surely win. Every politician recognizes that fact. If the campaign be conducted on the same lines as in 1888, the odds will be in favor of the Republicans.

Years ago it used to be the policy of political leaders to keep the young men in the background. That was a serious mistake. The Republican party today at least offers a good field for the ambitious young man. Let him forgo the

front. The man who neglects his political obligation is not a good citizen in the highest sense of the word. Where can we look for any substantial change from the present unsatisfactory conditions except through the young element? They are the ones to take up the work of genuine, practical political reform. I do not advise any one to join the sentimental school of the apostles of hypocritical reform. Those deluded creatures are of no benefit to themselves nor the rest of mankind.

They only serve to make the word "reform" ridiculous in the eyes of sensible people. The reform that is not susceptible of a practical business demonstration is of little value. The great need of the hour is to enlist more active and energetic men in the ranks of party workers. It should be made impossible for dishonest and unclean men to secure a nomination for any office or an election in the event of his nomination.

A great change is going on in the public mind. The people are getting into a mood to administer a stinging rebuke to the sham reformers and slugs of the day. My only regret is that they have not moved sooner. If the young men will only join hands they can render the rebuke so overwhelming that it will be an object lesson to many future generations.

THOMAS C. PLATT.

Africa's Dwarf Belles.

Explorer Stanley's new book contains the following description of a tribe among the African dwarfs. At this settlement, Ugarrow's Station, I saw the first specimen of the tribe of dwarfs who were said to be thickly scattered north of the Ituri, from the Ngaiyu eastward. She measured thirty-three inches in height, and was nearly devoid of hair. Her skin was about 17 of a glistening and smooth sleekness of body. Her figure was that of a miniature colored lady, not wanting in a certain grace, and her face was very prepossessing. Her complexion was that of a quadron, or of the palest yellow ivory. Her eyes were magnificent, but absurdly large for such a small creature—almost as large as those of a young gazelle; full, protruding and extremely lustrous. Absolutely nude, the little demoiselle was perfectly unselfconscious, as though she was accustomed to be admired, and really enjoyed inspection.

Cowards Carry Revolvers.

[New York Star.]
"I never carry a revolver," said a rounder, "because I believe it weakens a man's nerve."

"Are you ever in tight places?" was asked.

"Indeed I am," was the reply, "but I have learned to trust to my nerve. I used to carry a revolver, but I found I was inclined to trust to it more and more. I really became a coward. Now I carry no weapons at all, and feel freer and safer. The same thing is true in regard to locking and bolting the inner doors of a house. There are thousands of people in this city who never trust themselves to lie down to rest until they have bolted, barred and locked the inner doors of the house. The result of this is that they keep themselves in a state of constant nervous emotion, and are afflicted at the most casual alarms. No, I never carry a revolver."

The Coming Metropolis.

[Atlanta Constitution.]
The official report gives Chicago a population of 1,101,263. The figures appear more stupendous in the light of the fact that men yet living remember when Chicago was a village. London was centuries old before she had half the population of Chicago—a city that is one immense monument to the beneficence of free trade between the States of the American Union. Soon the city on the lakes will be the metropolis of America, into whose lap the West and South will continue to pour their trade, and it is not improbable that the next century will find Chicago the metropolis of the world.

The Pious Parson at Santa Cruz.

And I just came down from Carson To rusticate a bit and get the news, On a piece of ground I rented, And somehow drifted round to Santa Cruz.

Oh, to-be, but it was funny, How I squandered godly money On lemons and other kindred bores, And got a little edition With a dainty little kitten Who was bathing in the surf at Santa Cruz.

We men of God are rummy, In heart and kind of gummy, But of course that isn't strange and startling news, And every time she'd pass me She'd have to stop and gas me In her polka-dotted suit at Santa Cruz.

When I said the grace at table I was seldom ever able To tell the difference 'twix the roast and stew; For my heart would keep a flapping To a maiden who was dipping, Like a mermaid in the surf at Santa Cruz.

With the polka-dotted jacket I had many a jolly racket— Of her sparkling hose I had some lovely views; And memory fondly reaches For the polka-dotted breeches That glimmered in the surf at Santa Cruz.

Of course it's quite a pity For my wife in Carson City, That her tender love should thus abuse, For she knew that I was stuck on The polka-dotted suit at Santa Cruz. Pacific Grove, July 10th. —[Mod.]



JEWELS AND LACES.

"Oh, girl with the jeweled fingers, Oh, girl with the lace rare!"

What are your jewels and what are your laces worth to you if, from undergoing the trying ordeal which fashionable society imposes on its devotees, you lose the physical strength and endurance of the most robust, you break down, lose your health and become a physical wreck, as thousands do from such causes?

Under such circumstances you would willingly give all your jewels and all your laces to regain lost health. This you can do if you will but resort to the use of that great restorative known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Thousands of grateful women bless the day it was made known to them.

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The mansion of Senator Jones, on Ocean avenue, Santa Monica, presented a brilliant scene with its beautiful lights, colors and delicious perfumes last Tuesday evening, the occasion being a party given by Mrs. Senator J. P. Jones in the honor of the twenty-first birthday of Roy Jones, the only son. The interior of the house was exquisitely decorated with buds and blossoms, with which the costumes of the ladies present blended harmoniously. Mrs. Senator Jones, in an exquisite evening dress, received her guests most graciously, assisted by Meses. Gorham and Lester, sisters of the Senator.

To the strains of Meines orchestra the "dancers danced in tune" until the midnight hours, when a lavish supper was served after which the younger portion of the guests enjoyed the difficulties of the German "Till a silence fell with the waking bird And a hush with the setting morn."

Young Mr. Jones was the recipient of many hearty congratulations, all present uniting in wishing him a long and prosperous life. The Senator, who was detained in Washington on Senatorial duties, wired his congratulations to his only son.

The family and guests of the Jones mansion present were Meses. J. P. Jones, E. J. Gorton, George B. Lee, Mrs. Bawell, and Mrs. Charles Ellis, the Misses Dorsey, Misses Dunckerberger and Mallard, Mrs. Fulton, Capt. Banning, Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Dyke, Schuyler Cole, Willoughby Cole, Miss Grace Cole, Mrs. Seams, Misses Grace Seams, Dora Seams and Constance Seams, Dr. and Mrs. MacGowan, Miss McKarron, Mr. and Miss Hawley, Count and Mrs. von Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Vail, Misses Elderkin, Patton, Haughton, Mr. and Mrs. Gaffey, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Capt. and Mrs. Thom, Mr. and Mrs. Borden, Mrs. Vail, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Col. and Mrs. Volkmar, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mellus, Mr. and Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Van Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Jones, Miss Jones, B. Stoneman, Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Squire, Frank McKarron, Capt. Bolton, Messrs. Radebaugh, Mills, Dorsey, Montgomery, Thomas, Barnes, Bowering, Vail and others.

From Santa Monica: Gen. H. B. Sargent, Miss Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Van Avery, Dr. Cates, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kimball, Col. and Mrs. S. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brayton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Woodhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Warring, Mr. and Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, H. P. Carter, E. Carter, Miss Carter, J. P. Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Abbot Kinney, Mr. Bandini, the Misses Corson, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Corson, Dr. and Mrs. Jeffreys, E. J. Vawter, Sr. and Mrs. W. L. Vawter, Miss Mary Vawter, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Grasset, Mr. and Mrs. Vane, Mr. and Mrs. Templar Allen, Dr. and Mrs. Elliott.

ANOTHER MOONLIGHT BOATING PARTY. One of the most enjoyable moonlight boating parties of the season took place at Westlake Park Thursday evening. It was given by Mrs. Jordan, assisted by a number of her young lady friends. Those responding to the invitations met at her parlors in the new Wilson block precisely at 7:30, where the gentlemen were each invited to select on a bouquet tied with ribbon; the lady wearing the corresponding color was his company for the evening. At 8 o'clock the party proceeded to the park, where two delightful hours were spent in boating. Music was furnished by members of the party, most of them being musicians. At 10:30 they adjourned to the summer-house, where a repast was served by colored waiters. The ladies were attired in white yachting suits, wearing simply their color of the evening. The gentlemen also did honor to the occasion by wearing handsome yachting suits. All were unanimous in voting it a complete success. The following were present: Meses Clara Painter, Lizzie Meyer, Bessie Kelley, Anna Clark, A. Welcome, Annie Gushon, J. McNearney, Alice Meyer, Jessie Clark, J. McNearney, T. Welcome, Jessie Jordan and Mrs. Jordan; also Miss S. Gunn of Boston, Miss Wilson of Carson City and Miss Alice White of San Francisco; Messrs. F. Spencer, F. Hanson, F. Meyer, S. Kimball, Willie Lewellyn, T. Meyer, E. H. Hays, S. Welcome, W. Gordon, W. Gurtis, L. Reavis, K. Williamson; also N. B. Arnold of San Francisco, Harry Wilson of Carson City, H. Foster of San Diego and W. Stewart of Chicago.

A YACHT RACE. A party of pleasure seekers left Santa Monica at 2:30 p.m., July 24th, on the yacht Keywe, the party consisting of Capt. F. P. Whitley and wife, Mrs. H. S. Knowles, Miss Emma Knowles, Miss Fannie Knowles, Master Gus Knowles, Mrs. J. Morran, M. M. Martinez, Miss Frances Martinez, Alfred Brown, Miss Emma Hissman, A. F. Flores and wife, J. H. Charvoz and Phil F. Kramer.

They were becalmed at Point Vincent from 9 p.m. until 12 m. the next day, and arrived at Catalina the next night about 11 m.

J. J. Charvoz, M. M. Martinez and Alfred Brown went over the mountains hunting wild goats, with good success. The rest of the party went fishing and shell hunting, and were very successful, having captured all the fish they could use. On Sunday they made a trip to San Pedro and return home. During their stay on and around the island their time was taken up with visiting the different points of interest, such as the caves, Coves Point, where the best view of the ocean and island could be had.

On the voyage over they sailed through a school of whale, and a very clever and well-directed shot by M. M. Martinez struck one of the monsters, and he sank and was seen no more. They arrived home at Santa Monica on Wednesday, about 3:30 p.m., after a short sail with fair wind and good weather.

MOONLIGHT BOATING. Meses. Carlisle and Tedford and Miss Cora Mathews gave a moonlight boating party at Westlake Park Friday evening. The gay party was chaperoned by Mrs. Holland, L. J. Mathews and Tedford. As the merry party sailed over the smooth, calm lake, beautiful songs were waited on the night breezes, accompanied by the guitar and harmonica. After indulging in boating the party drifted to shore, where a delicious lunch was served and heartily enjoyed by the young people.

They lingered until the last car returned to the city, where they parted with a good-night song, each wishing that the moon might always shine and that boating parties were given more frequently.

Among those present were Meses. Holland, Mathews, Carlisle and Tedford, Misses Bryan, Brown of Georgia, Mattie Newkirk, Holland, Blanch and Susan Bewell, Johnson, and Lizzie Newkirk, Rhythe, Pinkham, Ida and Cora Mathews, Prof. Lunt, Dr. Hendricks, Gen. J. R. Mathews, Messrs. Latham, Edwards of Memphis, Hack, W. T. Edwards, L. J. Mathews, Tedford, Darlington, Conkling, Brown, Ellis, Duncan, Ralph, Toberman and Pirtle.

ON TWENTY-NINTH STREET. The P. S. Club was delightfully entertained Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nolan at their residence, 632 East Twenty-ninth street. The pleasant rooms were artistically decorated with palm leaves and the trailing passion vine.

Progressive euchre occupied the early part of the evening, from which E. J. Futune carried off the first gentleman's prize and Mrs. Edward Leake the lady's; then ice cream and cake were served, after which a sort of "go as you please" hour was spent very enjoyably, judging by the sounds of mirth on all sides; dancing, music, games of whist, etc., were indulged in till midnight, when all departed, voting, the P. S. Club a success and the host and hostess prime entertainers.

The next social of the club will be at the residence of Edward Leake, 213 East Twenty-ninth street, Wednesday evening, the 18th inst.

TRIP TO CAMULOS. A select party left last Tuesday for Camulos, where they were the guests of Mrs. del Valle at her beautiful residence, and they all speak in glowing terms of the kind hospitality of their hostess. The beautiful moonlight evening lent to the romantic surroundings, and the fortunate ones that visited Camulos will long remember the memorable event. The party returned last Wednesday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Forster, B. D. Murphy of Santa Clara, James T. Murphy, Frank Schumacher, Frank Palomares, Martin Murphy, Judge R. Egan, Senator R. F. del Valle, M. E. C. Munday, Miss Evelyn Murphy, Mary Murphy, Mattie Taaffe, Maud Argues, Belle del Valle and Mrs. McGuire.

A MOONLIGHT PARTY. A delightful moonlight party took place at the residence of Mrs. Stephen A. Randall on Alvarado and Ninth streets last Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Mabel, and the many young people who attended had a most enjoyable time. Dancing was the order of the evening, and fine refreshments were served. Those present were Meses. M. J. Jovine, Alice Moody, Florence Blackman, Evelyn Judd, M. Ralphs, R. Green, Lily Fairchild, Lella McKilligan, Mabel Randall, Daisy Randall, Julia Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Flint, Meses. Cowper, Green, Messrs. G. Roberts, Walter Chisler, Bumiller, Jess Levan, Charles Fowler, Harry Germain, Guy Cochran, Robert Randall, Ray Fairchild, Maurice V. Samuels.

PARTY ON SAN FERNANDO STREET. Last Wednesday night at 1506 San Fernando street Miss Nellie Field assisted her sister in entertaining the invited guests in celebrating her younger sister's birthday party. To the entire crowd did not seem to enjoy the splendid refreshments set before them, as well as the music, would be speaking, falsely. The following young ladies were present: Miss Shephard Earhart, Misses Underwood, Misses Clinton, Misses Sweeney, Sheeley, Fisher, Haas and Williams. The young guests present were Thomas Donaldson, Harry Belcher, D. Donaldson, Jesse Arkille, Eddie Arkille, Master Sarr, Riley, Cohen, Rex Belcher and Frank Field.

A SURPRISE PARTY. Last Monday evening a surprise party was tendered Miss Anna Jolla at the home of her friend, Miss Belle Hill. Dancing, games and music occupied the early part of the evening, after which an elegant collation was served. At a late hour the company dispersed with wishes for many happy returns. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Finkley, Miss Annie Jolla, Belle Hill, Jennie Hinton, Lula Hinton, Mary Robinson, Matilda Valiant, Mary Valiant, Nettie Kiger, and Messrs. Neuner, Nunn, Kohler, Levy, Kitts brothers, Dike, Williams, Llewellyn, Perkins, Carlson and Valiant.

DANCE AT LAMANDA. A select dance took place last Thursday evening at the Lamanda Park schoolhouse, which was well attended, and proved a very enjoyable and successful affair. The refreshments served were a feature, and also the good music assisted the merry dancers in the tripping of the light fantastic. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Hudson of Anaheim, Misses Ann Eaton, Ella Eaton, Williams, Hilda Clough, Wright, Freck, Messrs. J. Calbert, H. Blatz, Pixley, J. H. Bremner and others.

NOTES AND PERSONALS. Miss Lottie Stanley has returned from Norwalk, where she was the guest of Mrs. Allison.

Arthur Loupe of Santa Monica is in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Heald from Elanore spent a few days in the city.

J. J. Brown returned from San Francisco much benefited by the trip and vacation.

Sherman Powell is on a vacation and hunting the bears in the vicinity of Elizabeth Lake.

Prof. M. S. Arévalo left yesterday for his annual recreation in the mountains. A party of friends will accompany the Professor.

The Misses Mansfield of this city are spending the summer in a cottage at Santa Monica.

Prof. Loeb, Newmark and other musical lights went to Redondo last Thursday evening to enjoy the artistic piano performance of Prof. Mansfield.

General Personal. William Vincent, formerly proprietor of the Pioneer drug store of San Bernardino, but now of Los Angeles, was in that city Friday.

F. Ganahl, a lumber merchant of Los Angeles, is at the Brewster, San Diego.

George H. McMillan of San Diego is in this city.

Col. Spilman of the Ninth Regiment has returned to San Diego.

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The following delightful pieces were rendered:

Fille du Regiment, (three guitars)—Mrs. L. Taggart, M. Carrizosa and Prof. Arévalo.

Duet, "La Jale de Xerez"—M. Carrizosa and Prof. Arévalo.

Duet, "Rigoleto"—Miss Maud Priest and Prof. Arévalo.

Waltz, (three guitars), "Over the Wave"—Miss Maud Priest, Mrs. Taggart and Prof. Arévalo.

The Flannel Shirt. Now the teacher, the preacher, Most every male creature; The doctor, the lawyer, the duke and the knight; The butcher, the baker, The candlestick-maker Are each of them wearing the negligé shirt But laundries hate it And sorely berate it For naught else their business so vitally hurts. They'd make scores of dollars On starch, cuffs and collars If 'twere't for those terrible negligé shirts. Foul tartar is disease and death Not only to the teeth, but breath; It taints the mouth, and to our smile Gives a most chastely grimace. But if we're SOZODONT close by, We may its worst assaults defy.

yesterday to go to Catalina for a month or so.

Prof. Randall of Ontario visited Los Angeles Thursday.

Mrs. R. M. Walker of Ontario visited Los Angeles last week.

Rev. D. V. Bowen of Los Angeles was in Ontario Monday and Tuesday.

L. F. Weaver and family of Pomona have moved to Los Angeles, and make their home on the corner of Ninth and Main streets.

Mrs. Fryer of Los Angeles is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Monroe, of Carmelita.

Frederick Harkness of Los Angeles, a candidate for State Controller on the Democratic ticket, was in San José Thursday.

Mrs. Martell of Oakland has returned from Los Angeles.

W. H. Knight and family and Mrs. J. E. Farman of Oakland returned from Pasadena on the Los Angeles express Thursday.

MUSIC. Fervid Summer Heats and Slow Music Go Together.

At first with rapture drank The bliss of music, then with swelling heart Felt this was his own being's greater part.—George Eliot.

Mr. McKeenan, formerly choir master at St. Paul's, and now of San Francisco, is a visitor here.

It is confidently stated that Hugo Mansfield will be heard at a recital in this city after his engagement at Redondo.

The musical events become less and less frequent as the summer increases in length, until the goddess herself would hardly draw more than a dozen people to hear her.

Many of the local musicians are away, but are active in their leisure.

Today Mrs. Modin-Wood are at the Perry house at Santa Monica, and assisted at the concert of the summer school at the Presbyterian Church, together with Prof. Fosahy of Monrovia.

The Misses Dorsey are still at Santa Monica.

Katharine Kimball has returned from Long Beach.

O. S. Taylor goes to Santa Barbara and returns each week.

Prof. Colberg is still in the city.

Mrs. J. D. Cole and William Plutti are teaching through the summer.

Today at the academy of Bishop Mora, and some special music will be given at the Cathedral. At 10 a.m. will be given the "Messia Pro Pace," by La Hache, with the following soloists: Misses J. Winston, A. McManis, E. O'Keane, Mrs. B. Gardner, Messrs. J. F. Nuelle, L. von Hofe; A. G. Gardner, organist.

A pupils' recital was given as usual on last Friday night at the Ludlum School. Besides the part taken by the teachers, Miss McConnell played the "Promenade d'un Solitaire" (by Hiller), the "Medley in F" (by Rubinstein) and an "Album Leaf" (by Greig). Miss Grace Cochran sang, though she was severely handicapped by a violent cold.

Another musical will be given on next Friday night.

Prof. M. S. Arévalo gave his farewell musicale at his studio, and a very interesting programme was rendered which was both creditable to the class and the Professor.



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Notice for Publication of Time for Proving Will, Etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT—State of California, county of Los Angeles, ss: In the matter of the estate of Joseph N. Smith, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 14th day of August, 1900, at 10 o'clock a.m. of that day, at the courtroom of this court, Department Two thereof, corner Franklin and New High streets, in the city of Los Angeles, California, and at the State of California, has been appointed as the time and place for hearing the application of Joseph N. Smith, praying that a document now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, be admitted to probate, that letters testamentary be issued thereon to the said Joseph N. Smith, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same. Dated July 25, 1900. J. W. MURPHY, County Clerk. By M. J. ASHMORE, Deputy.

SWORN STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' BANK OF LOS ANGELES, At the close of business June 30, 1890.

ASSETS.
Cash on hand..... \$160,065 11
Cash on call with banks..... 1,055,801 91
U. S. Bonds..... 1,465,870 02
United States 4% Bonds, stocks and warrants..... 153,268 91
Loans..... 1,094,082 22
Real estate, vaults, safes and office furniture..... 11,790 45
Total..... \$3,860,080 62

LIABILITIES.
Capital paid up..... \$500,000 00
Surplus..... 600,000 00
Total..... \$1,100,000 00
Due depositors..... 2,322,651 94
Bonds declared and uncalled for..... 1,000 00
Total..... \$3,860,080 62

Herman W. Hellman, Vice-president, and John W. Milner, Cashier, of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Los Angeles, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the above is a true and correct statement of his knowledge and belief.

JOHN MILNER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1900.

CHARLES WORTH, Notary Public.

SECURITY SAVINGS BANK AND TRUST CO.

CAPITAL..... \$200,000
NO. 144 S. MAIN ST., Los Angeles, Cal.
F. N. MYERS, President.
S. A. FLEMING, Vice-president.
J. E. SARTORI, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:
Isaiah W. Hellman, O. W. Childs, J. A. Graves, James Bawson, M. B. Shaw, A. C. Rogers, M. D., A. J. Brown, F. N. Myers, Five Per Cent. Interest Paid on Deposits.

The notice of the public is called to the fact that this bank pays money on approved real-estate security; that it does not loan money to its stockholders, officers or clerks; that its stockholders are some of the oldest and most responsible citizens of the community; that under the State law, the private affairs of its stockholders are protected for the total indebtedness of the bank.

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CALIFORNIA BANK,

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Corner of Broadway and Second Streets.
Subscribed..... \$500,000 00
Paid up..... 50,000 00
Surplus..... 20,000 00

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PAID-UP CAPITAL..... \$200,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits..... 20,000

DIRECTORS: D. Remick, Thos. Goss, A. W. Richards, J. T. Newell, H. A. Barclay, Charles E. Day, M. Hagan, Frank Kador, E. C. Bosbyshell, W. F. Bosbyshell.

THE CITY BANK.

NO. 37 SOUTH SPRING ST. CAPITAL..... \$500,000
A. D. CHILDRESS, President.
JOHN S. PARK, Cashier.